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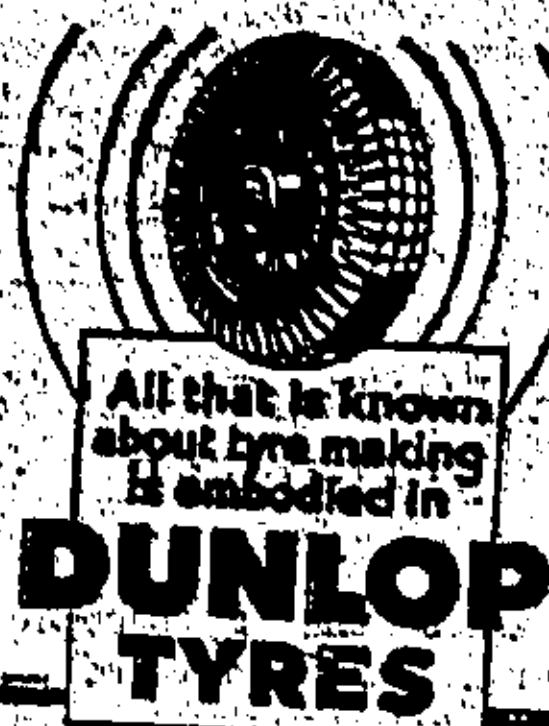
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By "The Scout"

China's Leading Printers

The Commercial Press, Limited, is perhaps China's greatest educational force and is undoubtedly the largest printing press in the Orient. This concern is building a plant in Hong Kong, at North Point, on a site of 150,000 square feet. The piling work commenced some time ago on the reclaimed land adjacent to the Chinese Bathing Club, and from conversation with Mr. Wong, the manager of the plant, which is for the present situated in Kennedy Town, I gathered that the construction at North Point will begin next month and the huge building is expected to be completed by 1934. The proposed structure will constitute only one-third of the building scheme and in the course of a few years, the Commercial Press hopes to have in Hong Kong the huge plant they had in Chapel, Shanghai, which was destroyed, it will be remembered during the Japanese attack. This firm is in its thirty-sixth year and is a purely Chinese concern. Before the Sino-Japanese troubles, it had a capital of more than Mexican \$2,000,000, employed more than 3,000 persons, having about fifty branch offices and over a thousand agencies. It is the only printing house that can supply every requisite of the school room in China. They have done pioneer work in bringing out the varieties of classics in art, literature and all the treasure trove of ancient China, while at the same time they have been responsible for the reproduction of an enormous output of translations of English, French and German books, both of current day literature and of the classics.

Our Court Interpreters

One of the greatest difficulties which Court Officials in the early days of the Colony encountered in civil or criminal cases, which the parties were Chinese and the question of interpretation, and such history of Hong Kong as we have with us to-day clearly reveals the inconvenience sometimes caused through the want of efficient interpreters. The work was usually entrusted to some European with a knowledge of Chinese, and not as it is to-day, to Chinese with a knowledge of English. Whether it is easier for the Englishman to learn Chinese or for the Chinese to learn English I cannot say, but in view of the fact that so many Chinese have learned to read and write English, there seems to be some indication that it is easier for the Chinese to learn English than vice versa. However, the interpretation difficulty is to-day very much diminished and the business of the Court is never held up owing to the question of Chinese interpretation. Those who know both the Chinese and the English language can fully appreciate the work that the interpreters are doing. The outlook of the two countries, their mode of expression, their difference in religious and family life have resulted in such divergent idioms that in some cases correct translation or interpretation is most difficult. In view of this it is surprising how much progress is daily made in the Courts to-day, where the interpreter plays an important part. His occupation is no insecure and is much harder than the work of translation which enables the translator to pick his words at will and to select his phrases after consideration. The interpreter not only has to know the meaning of the word used by Counsel or witness, but, in his interpretation, has to retain the fine shade of meaning attached to some words in order to make questions and answers intelligible. The work is sometimes trying especially when a witness of the uneducated class is in the box, and only those who have had long association with our courts realize the important part played by the interpreter in all cases, but which seldom comes in for just recognition.

The Sales Season

The season of "cheap sales" is upon us and the efforts of the big stores to vie with each other in offering bargains to the public results in genuine sacrifices by the sellers. I met a friend the other day who purchased a camera (with 35 lens) for \$15. The article was slightly damaged, but a trivial sum spent in repairs soon set that right. Sincere's, Wing On's and the Sun Company's sales are attended by thousands of patrons daily, many people making purchases for no other reason than to secure the fifteen per cent. reduction made in all departments. The European stores conduct their sales on somewhat different lines, and oddments and remnants are sold at sacrifice prices, while big sums are made to clear off stock to make room for new goods. Those who have lived in Hong Kong for any length of time know that the summer and winter "sales" are the times in which to secure bargains.

IN HONG KONG TO-DAY

FINE TO CLOUDY.

YESTERDAY'S WEATHER REPORT, FORECAST AND REMARKS, ISSUED BY THE ROYAL OBSERVATORY AT 5.04 P.M. STATED:—

PRESSURE REMAINS HIGHER OVER THE PACIFIC TO THE SOUTH EAST OF JAPAN. THE NORTHERN DEPRESSION IS MOVING EASTWARDS TOWARDS KOREA, AND THE TYPHOON IS SITUATED IN THE EASTERN PART OF THE SOUTHWEST CHINA, MOVING W.N.W. IT WILL PROBABLY ENTER THE CHINA SEA TO-NIGHT.

LOCAL FORECAST:—N.E. WINDS, MODERATE; FRESHENING CONSIDERABLY FINE TO CLOUDY.

WARNING.

The following typhoon warning has been received by the American Consulate:—General from Manila, Observatory:—Manila, July 28, 3 p.m.:—Typhoon in about 120° Long E. and 19° Lat N. moving W.N.W.

TYPHOON COMING?

Manila, July 28. A typhoon or cyclone is over Balintang Channel and is moving W. or W.N.W. (Balintang Channel is in Lat. 20 and between Long. 120 and 124 and if the typhoon is moving W.N.W., it would appear decidedly probable that Hong Kong will be in for a "blow" over the week-end.)

Beach Costumes

I was at Repulse Bay the other day when I saw what must be the most bizarre bathing costume so far worn by a woman on the local beach. It is about the nearest thing to nudism that can be conceived. Above the waist the back is bare except for a single thin strap that runs up the spine and ends up in a "Y" shape over the shoulders. In front the body is equally exposed, there being no covering immediately over the hips. Above the waist the demands of modesty are more or less met. This was a very striking costume and people who see no objection might be a little less voluble in their protests against nudism. The bare-back vogue among men may have been the cause of this revelation from the women, but whatever the reason, the next development of beach costumes should be interesting.

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WORLD ANTI-WAR CONFERENCE

To Be Held In September

MADAME SUN YAT SEN'S APPEAL

Shanghai, July 28. Madame Sun Yat Sen, in the capacity of chairman of the committee who are making the preparations for the World's Anti-War Conference issued a statement this morning, formally announcing the convocation of the Conference in September. In the statement, Madame Sun declared that at present the Powers were all preparing for a second World War while the proletariats' sufferings were increasing every day so it is necessary for the world's working class to get together and present a united front against the imperialists. Continuing, Madame Sun states that the forthcoming Conference is the decision of the Anti-War Conference held in Amsterdam last August. The Conference will be attended by 2,000 delegates representing 30,000,000 workers in 30 countries. Concluding, Madame Sun urges all factory operatives, unemployed workers, labour unions, students, writers, artists and volunteer anti-Japanese organisations to join the Conference. *Reuter.*

DIARY OF LOCAL EVENTS

TO-DAY

(July 29.)
(VI. Moon, 8th Day)
Lammert's Sale of Household Furniture, No. 1, Middle Road, 2nd floor, 10.30 a.m.
Open Air Concert, Kowloon Cricket Club.
Meetings.—Creditors, Tai Hang Co., Ltd., 130, Kiang Street, Kowloon, 4 p.m.; Tung Yat Restaurant, Ltd., 400, Queen's Road West, noon.
Whist Drive, China Light & Power Recreation Club, King's Park, 9 p.m.
Theatres:
King's: "The Third String."
Queen's: "Strictly Personal."
Central: "The Age of Consent."
Oriental: "Tarzan The Ape Man."
Majestic: "Make Me A Star."
World: "Reaching For The Moon."
Star: "Sister Fair."
Dances:
Tea Dances at King's Restaurant; Hong Kong and Repulse Bay Hotels; Gloucester Building; and Majestic Dancing Academy.
Dinner Dances at King's Restaurant; Peninsula, Hong Kong and Repulse Bay Hotels; and Gloucester Building.
Principal Malls:
Outward Air Mail for Europe by Rumpus, 9 a.m.; steamer 10.30 a.m.; for America and Europe via Siberia by Free Grant, 5 p.m.
Sports:
Aquatics.—Chung Sing Benevolent Society Night Fete (West Point), 7.30 p.m.
Lawn Bowls.—First Division: Police R.C. v. Tai Koo R.C.; Kowloon C.C. v. Craigengower C.C.; Kowloon Docks R.C. v. Kowloon B.C.C.; Civil Service C.C. v. Club de Recreation. Second Division: Craigengower C.C. v. Kowloon C.C.; Kowloon B.C.C. v. Civil Service C.C.; Club de Recreation v. Yacht Club; Hong Kong Electric R.C. v. Police R.C.
Sunrise:—5.46 a.m.; Sunset: 7.05 p.m.
A Rare Delicacy
Those who have tasted Chinese dinners in Hong Kong before the days of the boycott of Japanese goods by the Chinese may have missed the delicious and healthy delicacy of very Chinese meat, known as "Bak Lai" (Bacon), which is known to the Chinese as "Bak Lai" and which the Japanese (Continued on Page 1)

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THE STEADY SHIP

EFFECT OF GYROSCOPIC STABILISER

Ever since the gyroscopic ship stabiliser had its chance of proving itself and getting great public attention by its installation in the giant Italian liner Conte di Savoia, there has been great discussion as to the pros and cons of such an interference with the ship's natural movement on the water which can be so unwelcome to some passengers.

Firstly, there is the question as to whether it really does its work and secondly, whether there are not attendant disadvantages which will more than outweigh the advantage claimed.

The American Societies of Naval Architects and Mechanical Engineers lost no time in calling a joint meeting at which the performance of this stabiliser could be described and discussed and some very interesting facts and figures were presented.

Rolling Minimised.
As the stabiliser can be very

easily shut off and switched on again it was possible to obtain observations in circumstances as similar as it is possible to get at sea. Without the stabiliser she rolled from 33 to 34 degrees maximum; with it working the average total roll was three degrees. This is not only a matter of comfort, but of engineering economy and efficiency by keeping both propellers well in the water and preventing any racing as one or other of them lifts.

A reduction in rolling also meant better steering, the deviation from the course laid down being reduced from three degrees to one and a half, which again means efficiency and economy.

Question of Strain.

As regards the oft-raised question of straining the ship, all possible means were taken to measure the deflection, elongation and compression of the structure and these tests, as far as they went, showed that the suppression of rolling minimised rather than increased the strain. That, however, is a

ENGINEERING AND BUILDING

KHEDIVE ISMAIL BRIDGE

COMPLETED BY DORMAN LONG

The new bridge over the Nile in Cairo known as the Khedive Ismail Bridge which was opened by the King Fuad I of Egypt on the 6th instant replaces the old Kasr-el-Nil Bridge which was completed in 1871 and which owing to the increased volume of traffic and heavier loading due to motor traffic was considered inadequate for present requirements.

The new bridge is 1,280-ft. long and crosses the river in eight spans. It is 68-ft. in width and an electrically operated opening span is provided for the accommodation of river traffic, giving two clear passages each of 66-ft.

The designs were prepared by Dorman Long & Co., Ltd. as Engineers in conjunction with Sir John Burnet & Partners as Architects, and the structure presents a handsome appearance which is in keeping with its situation in one of the most picturesque parts of Cairo.

Special consideration has been given to architectural effect. The abutments are flanked by granite pylons, at the bases of which stand the four bronze lions which form the only relic of the old bridge which has been incorporated in the new design.

Ornamental staircases leading from the approaches to paved terraces on the river banks. These terraces extend under the shore spans and are executed in granite and marble and provide features of a highly ornamental character.

The spans are of steel in the form of elliptical arches and no structure above deck level impedes the view from the roadway. The bridge is carried on granite faced piers, while the balustrading is constructed in structural steel, heavily embellished with cast iron copings, fascia plates and ornamental distance pieces.

The lighting also forms a special feature, the pylons being provided with top lantern lights, while the roadway lighting is effected by special lanterns which are designed to give a flood light effect and are mounted on ornamental cast iron standards.

The old bridge was closed to traffic on the 1st April 1931 and work on its demolition and on the construction of the new bridge was commenced forthwith. As is customary in the construction of such works on the Nile operations were suspended during the two high flood periods, namely of 1931 and 1932. This makes the actual time occupied in the execution of the entire project approximately 18 months and the opening ceremony was performed and the bridge put into service three weeks before the expiration of the contract period.

The work was carried out almost entirely by Egyptian labour under the supervision of British and Egyptian Officials, and this, the latest addition to the many important bridges which span the Nile, presents a handsome tribute to the enterprise of the Egyptian nation.

point on which many sailormen will demand a rather longer test than is possible in the ordinary way, for the natural motion of a ship is one that obviously appeals to them more than it does to the passenger.

THREE NEW THAMES BRIDGES

ARTISTIC ADAPTATION OF FERRO-CONCRETE CONSTRUCTIONAL METHODS

Early this month the Prince of Wales formally opened three new bridges over the Thames—at Chiswick, Twickenham, and Hampton Court.

Their construction has been made necessary by the increasingly difficult problem of dealing with the growing volume of road traffic which has to pass from one bank of London's river to the other. The Chiswick and Twickenham bridges form links in a new thoroughfare from Hammersmith to Twickenham and beyond, thus relieving congestion on the Hammersmith suspension bridge and the old stone bridge at Richmond.

Between these two points the course of the Thames makes a wide northerly and westerly detour, so that vehicles moving from Hammersmith bound in a south-westerly direction for places beyond Twickenham, had either to keep north of the river for some miles before turning southwards, or to pass through Barnes and Richmond, both areas unsuitable in many ways for modern traffic conditions.

The new road, after passing over the Chiswick bridge, cuts across the piece of land on which is the Old Deer Park and re-crosses the river just below the Richmond railway bridge.

The Hampton Court bridge replaces an old and narrow iron structure which has been a hindrance to heavy traffic for a long time. It links up the Middlesex bank of the river with the new road from Hampton Court to Esher.

Except in that each of the three bridges is in the main constructed of reinforced concrete, and that they are all arched bridges of the same width—70ft. between parapets—there is little similarity between them. Of each it can be said, however, that it contributes positively to the beauty of the Thames.

In Keeping With Surroundings.

Three famous architects have designed these structures in harmony with their surroundings. Taking them in the order in which they would be seen from a vessel going downstream, one comes first of all to the Hampton Court bridge, where Sir Edwin Lutyens, R.A., the designer, in collaboration with Mr. W. P. Robinson, M.Inst.C.E., the engineer, had the task of achieving harmony with the ancient red-brick elevation of the Palace near by.

Reinforced concrete provides the necessary structural strength for modern traffic conditions; red-brick panels and carved Portland stone facings furnish the aesthetic note.

The new bridge was constructed for the Joint Committee of the Middlesex and Surrey County Councils by Messrs. Holloway Bros. (London), Ltd., at a contract price of £170,000. It has a 10ft. carriage-way and two 15ft. footpaths.

Stonework, which is used in the construction of the cutwaters, the facing of the piers and abutments the balustraded parapets and the string-courses of the Hampton Court bridge, is another constructional material which Holloways have employed very widely, as, for instance, in a large number of war memorials throughout the country.

Wrought-iron lamps and standards 11ft. in height have been used to beautify the Hampton Court bridge. There are sixteen of these, which were supplied by Messrs. Thomas, Elsley, Ltd. They are somewhat unusual in that the mouldings and hoods of the lamps are also of wrought-iron, the lamps being surmounted by hand-chased lions and crowns in cast bronze. The lamps and standards were completed in a little over two months.

Twickenham Bridge.

Entirely different in appearance is the next bridge in order, at Twickenham. Here is a structure wholly and undisguisedly modern, and one which has many features of outstanding interest. Mr. Maxwell Ayrton, F.R.I.B.A., was the architect, Mr. A. Dryland, C.B.E., M.Inst.C.E., the consulting engineer, and Mr. J. S. MacLachlan, M.Inst. C.E., the resident engineer.

Its construction, in the first place, is interesting, if not entirely novel. The arches of the three 100ft. river spans are each in two halves, the lower parts being attached to the piers by a sort of knuckle-joint or hinge. In the centre the two halves meet, but are not joined, thus allowing for shrinkage and expansion. Except that the movement will normally be only a fraction of an inch, the arches may be regarded

as similar to the bascules of Tower Bridge.

In this case the contractors were Messrs. Aubrey Watson, Ltd., and the contract price was £191,206.

Before the concrete and steel structure could be proceeded with it was necessary to build an almost complete skeleton bridge of timber, for which purpose Canadian Douglas fir logs and half-timbers supplied to the contractors by Messrs. Ashworth Kirk and Co., Ltd., was used.

In all, between 900,000 and 1,000,000ft. board measure of timber, the equivalent of a small forest, was employed in the construction of the framework to support the concrete whilst it was setting, for piling in the river and for the temporary works.

Modern Building Materials.

This bridge provides striking evidence of the beauty that can be expressed in modern building materials. The concrete is of a shingled buff colour, relieved by thin lines of red concrete tiles, its texture brought out by wire-brushing and bush-hammering. It is known as "Moncon" cast stone, and is the work of the Mono Concrete Co., Ltd. Various colour combinations are available in this material, which is now being widely used in the construction of cinemas, blocks of flats, and other large buildings.

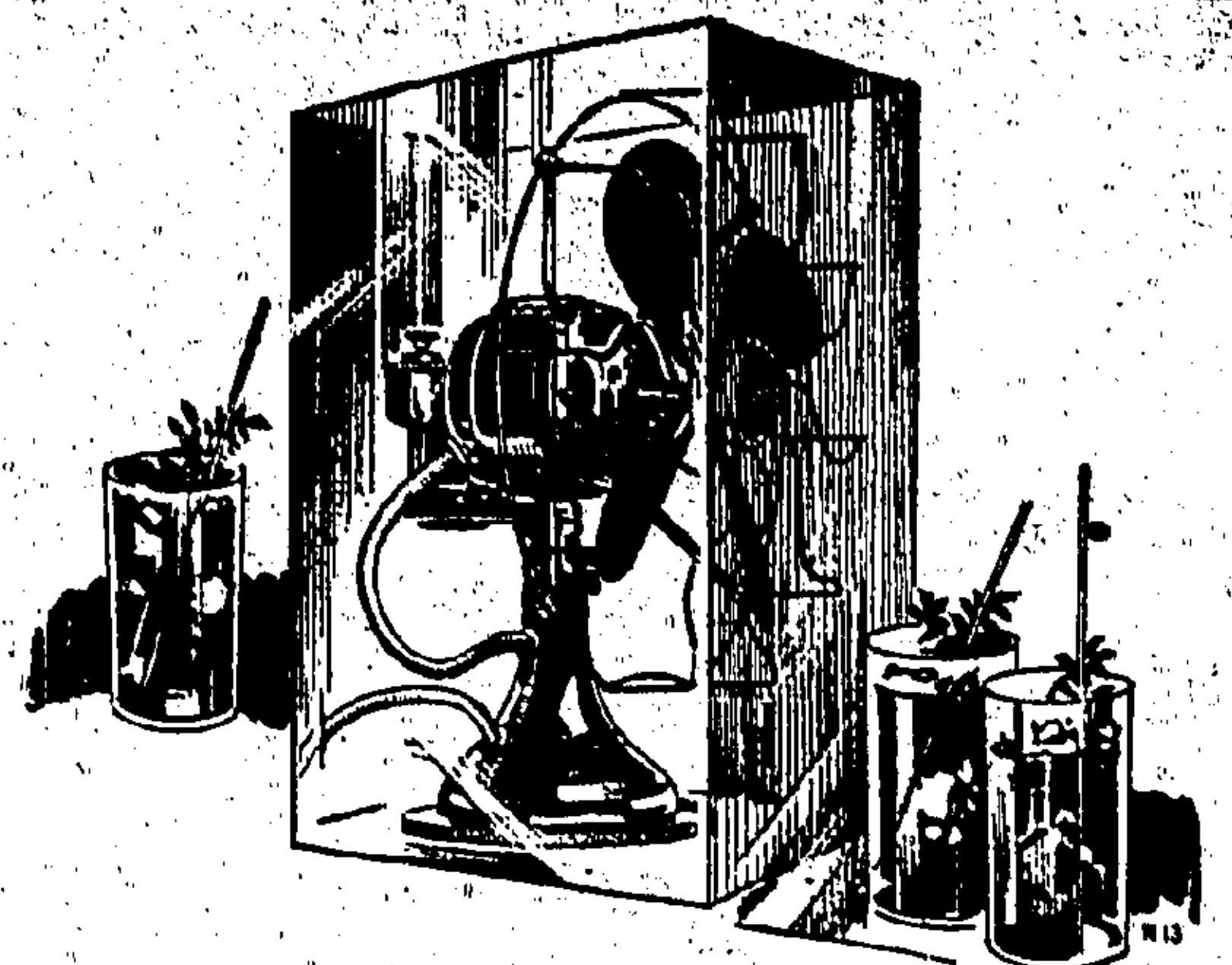
The whole of the steel bars used for reinforcement, to British standard specification, on both Hampton Court and Twickenham bridges, was supplied from the Castle Works, Rogerstone, Mon., of Guest, Keen and Nettlefold, Ltd.

Various hazards in connection with the construction of both bridges, such as employers' liability and incidental risks, were covered by the Federated Employers' Insurance Association, Ltd.

Chiswick Bridge.

The Chiswick bridge is faced entirely in Portland stone and presents a most graceful appearance. It was designed by Sir Herbert Baker, R.A., and carried out in collaboration with the same engineers as for the Twickenham bridge. The contract price for the Chiswick Bridge was £203,934.

There are three spans over the centre one, of 150ft., being the



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This firm also imported from Canada, as a specialty for this particular work, about 8,000 cubic feet of prepared shuttering, timber. In addition to this, the

crown and faces of the bridge, which were lined with this shuttering, were in turn covered with plywood supplied by Denny, Mott, and Dickson. This ensured a clean, smooth surface to the bridge after removal of the temporary woodwork, and the result bears testimony to the workmanship of the contractors' staff.

The approaches to the Chiswick bridge are made attractive by semi-ornamental railings and gates of wrought iron, designed by the engineer to the Council and supplied and erected by Messrs. T. W. Palmer & Co., of Merton Abbey, whose experience in the manufacture of iron, steel, and wire fencing and gates is a wide and varied one.

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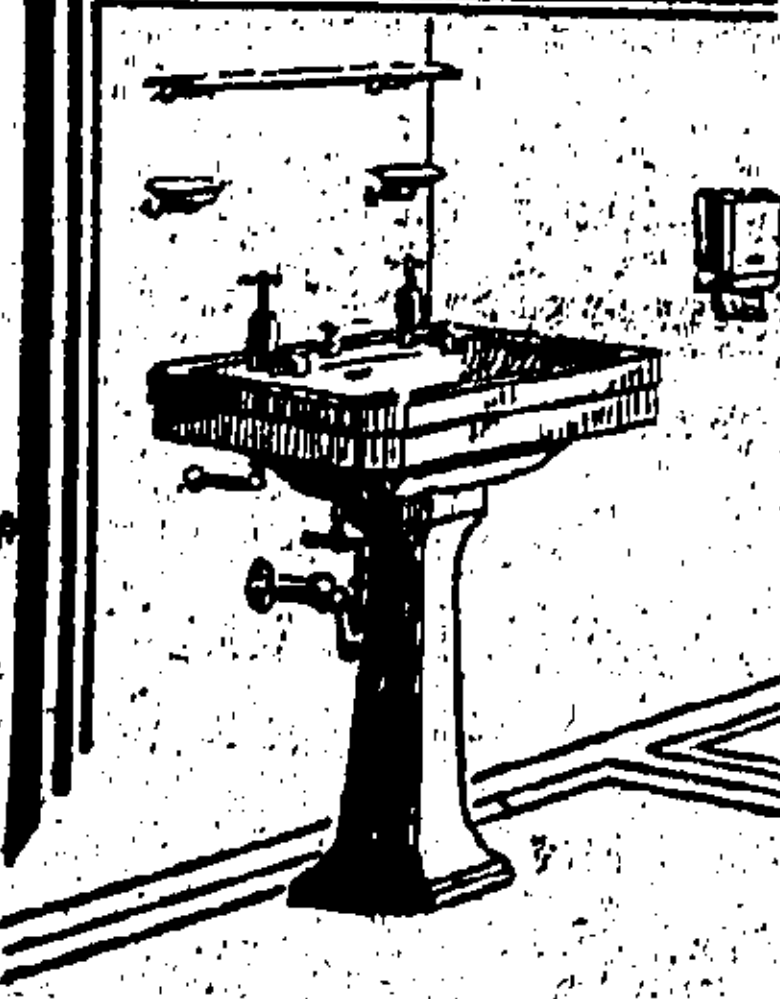
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MACAO WEEKLY SUPPLEMENT

THE LISBON REVOLUTION
CANARD

A DENIAL AND A PROTEST

DOES PORTUGAL GET A "FAIR
DEAL" IN THE NEWS?

(From Our Own Correspondent)

Macao, July 28.

H.E. the Acting-Governor at three o'clock this morning obtained official information that Madrid's news of a revolution at Lisbon is entirely false. Complete calmness prevails over the whole country.

This communication was given to me by phone by the Governor's A.D.C. personally at 3.30 a.m. this morning so that you may be fully confident that it emanates from official quarters. It is entirely reliable.

Law and order that have prevailed in Portugal for the last six years, much to the disgust of ill-famed politicians to whom the doors of Portugal have been closed could not be disturbed so suddenly and with such violence as the telegram from Madrid suggests.

WHAT PORTUGAL HAS ACHIEVED

The news of the supposed revolution was received in Macao with due reserve, as practically all Portuguese living in the colonies know that when such news emanates from Madrid or Vigo it should be confirmed before being believed.

In the present instance the Portuguese in Macao resented the undue publicity given to it and the readiness of certain newspapers to publish news that may prejudice the prestige of a country, but do not spontaneously publish a line to enhance their moral and civic virtues or their progress and advance in civilization.

In the case of Portugal, here we have a country whose finances and prestige about six years ago were practically ruined by political intrigue and party faction. News about Portugal was abundant at that time and it reflected a state of constant agitation in the country. But, now, that law and order prevail and this nation by a splendid gesture of her younger generation has been upholding a political regime that brought her out of chaos and confusion into an era of peace and relative prosperity, no word of praise, or solicitude, is published to show the English-speaking population of South China this most noble example of courage and self-determination that Portugal has set to the world by her wonderful national and financial recovery.

A Great Achievement.

Dr. Caeiro da Mata, the chief of the Portuguese delegation to the World Economic Conference, at their meeting of the 13th June last at London, summarized briefly Portugal's wonderful position before the world by making a statement that very few nations of the world at present could make:

"Portugal has already complied with almost all the suggestions contained in the programme of the Conference and it will be very difficult to find any other country that has fulfilled them more completely. The financial recovery was obtained exclusively with national resources and it is firmly expressed by the balance of public funds, by the 'superavit' of our budget, by the equilibrium of all our colonial budgets by the amortization of two-thirds of our internal floating debt and by the

total reimbursement of the external floating debt."

Let it be said again that this most wonderful recovery entirely complete and detailed in its national and colonial organization, was attained in times when even the most prosperous nations are struggling with their accounts to make both ends meet, and trying to surmount unsurpassable difficulties, and struggling in vain to solve their national economical problems. And, as our chief delegate to the World Economic Conference stated before the representatives of all civilized countries of the world, this "was obtained exclusively with national resources."

No Outside Help.

Portugal did not beg for financial assistance to solve her important economical difficulties. It was a case of self-determination, of moral impetus, the spirit of one man, Dr. Oliveira Salazar.

This magnificent and amazing return to order and law and national prosperity, when the country was on the verge of ruin and amidst the most complicated political confusion, sets a wonderful example not only to many countries in Europe and America but also to the Far East, where, if it were followed with the determination and moral vigour shown by the Portuguese Government, and the Portuguese people, peace and prosperity would soon be obtained.

The mission of the Press is to guide public opinion, to keep the communities it serves informed of evil doings in order to avoid them, and of all meritorious acts so that they be followed.

To Portugal and to the Portuguese communities in the Far East most unfair treatment is often accorded. A most unfair discrimination is made: news hurting our prestige and dignity is avidly given publicity. No matter where it originates from or how untrue it may be, provided it creates a sensation, large type is put to work so that it may be blazoned to all. But the example of a nation that ranks amongst the best financially organized of the present day, seems to be cautiously hidden away.

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NEWS LETTER
FROM LISBON

SIR JOHN SIMON'S VISIT

Lisbon, July 19.

The Arianza arriving at the Tagus yesterday en route to Brazil had on board Sir John Simon, Minister for Foreign Affairs of Great Britain, who is going to South America on a short vacation. When interviewed, Sir John stated that the Anglo-Portuguese Alliance was creating an excellent understanding between the two countries and also that Portugal to-day sets a noble example of order and activity to all Europe.

Aerial Raid from Rio to Lisbon.

The Brazilian aviator, Ribeiro de Barros, is going to make a direct flight from Rio de Janeiro to Lisbon and thence to Paris and Rome.

Congress of Portugal's Sports Clubs.

The Committee organizing the Congress of Portugal's Sports Clubs has decided to organize a big athletic parade.

Timor's Imports and Exports.

According to telegraphic communications received from the Timor Government, the imports to that Colony during the year 1932 amounted to \$1,771,315.00 and the exports during the same period to \$3,212,188.00.

Improvements to Funchal's Harbour.

Lisbon, July 20.

The Portuguese Government has embarked on an extensive development of Portugal's highways. The Naval programme which involves a considerable expenditure is being faithfully carried out according to the original scheme. Vast improvements are now envisaged for various ports in Portugal. The beautiful island of Madeira, which is a world-renowned tourist-centre, has also benefited from the decision of the Portuguese Government in connection with Harbour improvement. The Port of Funchal, which has already put in hand extensive improvements is now going to be further developed, an important allotment of public funds having been made by the Public Works office. The new works are intended to facilitate the shipping traffic at the Harbour, consisting mainly of big tourist-liners and ships plying between Europe and America and Europe and Africa.

Sunshine Coast of Portugal.

The Public Works office has granted a substantial sum to the Municipalities of Cascais on the Sunshine Coast of Portugal for extensive works on the supply of water to Monte Estoril.

The Sunshine Coast of Portugal is a well-known health and tourist resort and its popularity is increasing especially amongst the English people, who go there every season in large numbers. The climate, the comfort of modern hotels, golf-links, beautiful beaches and splendid motor-roads render this beautiful place one of the most healthy and popular tourist resorts in Europe.

The Italian Fleet in the Tagus.

Admiral Burragli commanding the Italian Fleet entered the Tagus yesterday and was accorded the usual honours by the Harbour Authorities. The Minister for the Navy arranged for the Italian Admiral and Officers an excursion and an afternoon tea-party in the Cintra Palace.

Chief of Naval Staff at the Admiralty.

Admiral Magalhães Correia, who served in Macao as Harbour Master and Acting Governor, has been appointed Chief of the Naval Staff at the Admiralty.

Admiral Magalhães Correia was instrumental in bringing about the important Naval programme now being carried out by the Portuguese Government, and his name stands high amongst the Naval Authorities.

Torpedo-Destroyer Vouga.

Lisbon, July 21.

The Ministry for the Navy has received a telegram from England stating that the newly-built torpedo destroyer Vouga, left for Huelva to take in torpedoes and war munitions, and should arrive at (Continued on next column).

BETTY NUTHALL
ROBBEDRAID ON TREASURED
TROPHIES

(Special Air-Mail Service)

LONDON, July 11.

Burglars broke into the home of Miss Betty Nuthall at 102, Richmond-hill, early yesterday evening, and stole a number of her lawn tennis medals and other trophies.

Fortunately they were disturbed before they could take the larger articles such as the cups, but they took several small gold tennis balls of considerable value and much treasured by Miss Nuthall.

The robbery took place while the family were at dinner.

Mrs. Stuart Nuthall, Miss Nuthall's mother, told a representative of *The Daily Telegraph* that her daughter had been playing the piano in the drawing-room before dinner. After the meal she returned to the drawing-room to resume playing, but found the door locked on the inside.

Thinking it was a practical joke on the part of one of the family, she went round the house to the French windows of the drawing-room. The burglars must have heard her coming and decamped hastily.

The room was found in disorder. The stolen medals included those won in the British hard-court singles at Bournemouth, the British hard-court ladies' doubles, and a Wimbledon medal. Four gold tennis balls were taken, two of which Miss Nuthall received when she won the American championship and two for the American mixed doubles championship.

Brother's Medals Stolen.

It is clear that the thieves were intent on taking mainly the objects in gold, although silver medals won by Mr. J. W. Nuthall, Miss Nuthall's brother, at Cambridge, had also disappeared.

"Betty is most distressed over the loss of the little gold tennis balls," said Mrs. Nuthall. "They were her special pets. I should think they were worth about £7 each. But we are naturally all very relieved that the thieves had not got as far as her various cups. It would, indeed, have been terrible if they had taken her American Championship cup."

"We sent for the police at once, and are now hoping that the burglars will be caught and Betty's treasures restored to her."

Lisbon before the end of this week.

Poland's Representatives in
Portugal.

Owing to the development of commercial and diplomatic interests between Portugal and Poland, a Polish Minister has been appointed to Lisbon, who will submit his credentials to the President of the Portuguese Republic to-day.

Miscellaneous.

Lisbon, July 21.

A noted German doctor, a specialist in stomach, kidney and intestinal sicknesses, has petitioned the Portuguese Government for permission to practise in Portuguese West-Africa (Angola).

In his petition, he states the reason for his request is the need of leaving Germany owing to the attitude of the German Government to German-Jews.

The Municipality of Lisbon has voted a substantial sum for the acquisition of radio appliances to be distributed throughout the city and to be used for patriotic and educational propaganda.

Colonel Variot, the new French Attaché was yesterday received by H.E. General Carmona, President of the Republic.

At the general meeting of the Academy of Sciences of Portugal, the Brazilian Ambassador at Lisbon was offered the academical "palms" of the institution. The Chairman congratulated the Brazilian diplomat on being decorated by the Portuguese Government with the Great-Cross of the Order of Christ.

The Government *Daily Bulletin* publishes a Decree stipulating that the famous "D. Miguel's jewels" which have been in the vaults of the Bank of Portugal since 1834 shall be kept there until further proceedings are taken to prove their present ownership.

WEEK-END RADIO
PROGRAMMESBROADCAST BY Z.B.W.
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11-11.30 a.m.—Stock and Exchange quotations, selected London and New York stock quotations, weather report, etc.

11.30 a.m.—Chinese recorded programme.

12.30 p.m.—European programme of Columbia and Regal records.

1 p.m.—Local time and weather report.

1.15 p.m.—A relay of the Hong Kong Hotel Orchestra by courtesy of the Management. (During the intervals recorded music will be broadcast from the Studio.)

1.30 p.m.—Rugby Press news, etc.

2.15 p.m.—Close down.

Dance Music.

4.7 p.m.—Chinese recorded programme.

7-11.30 p.m.—European programme.

7-8.45 p.m.—Variety.

8 p.m.—Local time and weather report.

Vocal Quartet—What Would I Like for Breakfast?

Vocal Quartet—Something Came and Got Me in the Spring—The Four Musketeers.—DB1123.

Orchestral—Don't Say Goodbye.

Orchestral—Love is the Sweetest Thing—The Blue Lyrics.—T6346.

Song—They Can't Make a Vole Out of Oi.

Song—The Five Year Plan—Norman Long (Comedian).—DB1000.

Band—Aunt Hagar's Blues.

Band—Dinah—Ted Lewis and His Band.—CB66.

Vocal Duet—My Happiness.

Vocal Duet—Cinderella Brown—Reis and Dunn.—DB1120.

Piano Solo—Can't We Talk It Over.

Piano Solo—Now That You're Gone—Carroll Gibbons and His Boy Friends.—DB303.

Descriptive Sketch—The Boat Race—Clapham and Dayer.—DB1067.

Orchestral—A Little Love, a Little Kiss.

Orchestral—Spring Serenade—The Bohemians.—DB1067.

Instrumental—Maui no Ika o.

Instrumental—Maui Girl—King Hawaii's Hawaiians.—DB248.

Song—A House Love Made for You and Me.

Song—Stars and Crescent Moon—Hubert Bisdell.—DB1113.

Orchestral—Bitter Sweet—Bitter Sweet.

Orchestral—Bitter Sweet—If Love Were All—Jack Payne and His B.B.C. Dance Orchestra.—5443.

Vocal Quartet—Love Tales.

Vocal Quartet—Suzanne—The Harmonians.—DB1121.

Piano Solo—Helen—Selection.

Piano Solo—Have You Forgotten?—Billy Mayerl.—DB777.

Vocal Quartet—Take Me Away from the River.

Vocal Quartet—Young and Healthy—The Four Musketeers.—DB1076.

Organ Solo—They All Stair Whistling Mary.

Organ Solo—Happy-Go-Lucky You and Broken-Hearted Me—Sidney Torch.—DB940.

Song—Brighter Than the Sun.

Song—What More Can I Ask?—Anona Winn (Soprano).—DB1030.

Orchestral—Under Heaven's Blue.

Orchestral—By the Sleepy Lagoon—Albert Sandler and His Orchestra.—DB1061.

8.45-9.15 p.m.—

A Concert.

Piano Solo—Echoes of Vienna (Sauer).

Piano Solo—Voices of Spring (Strauss)—Ania Dorfmann.—DX623.

Song—Mathleen—Mavourneen Crawford-Crouch—Dame Clara Butt (Contralto).—PB3.

Violin Solo—Carmen—Fantasia (Bizet) Sarasate)—Yovanovitch Bratsa.—DX339.

Song—The Merry Peasant (Schumann-Hillman).

Song—The Harmonious Blacksmith (Handel)—Hillman—Malcolm McEachern (Bass).—DB1069.

9.10-9.30 p.m.—A Children's Overture (Roger Quilter)—Sir Henry J. Wood conducting the London Philharmonic Orchestra.—DB951/DB963.

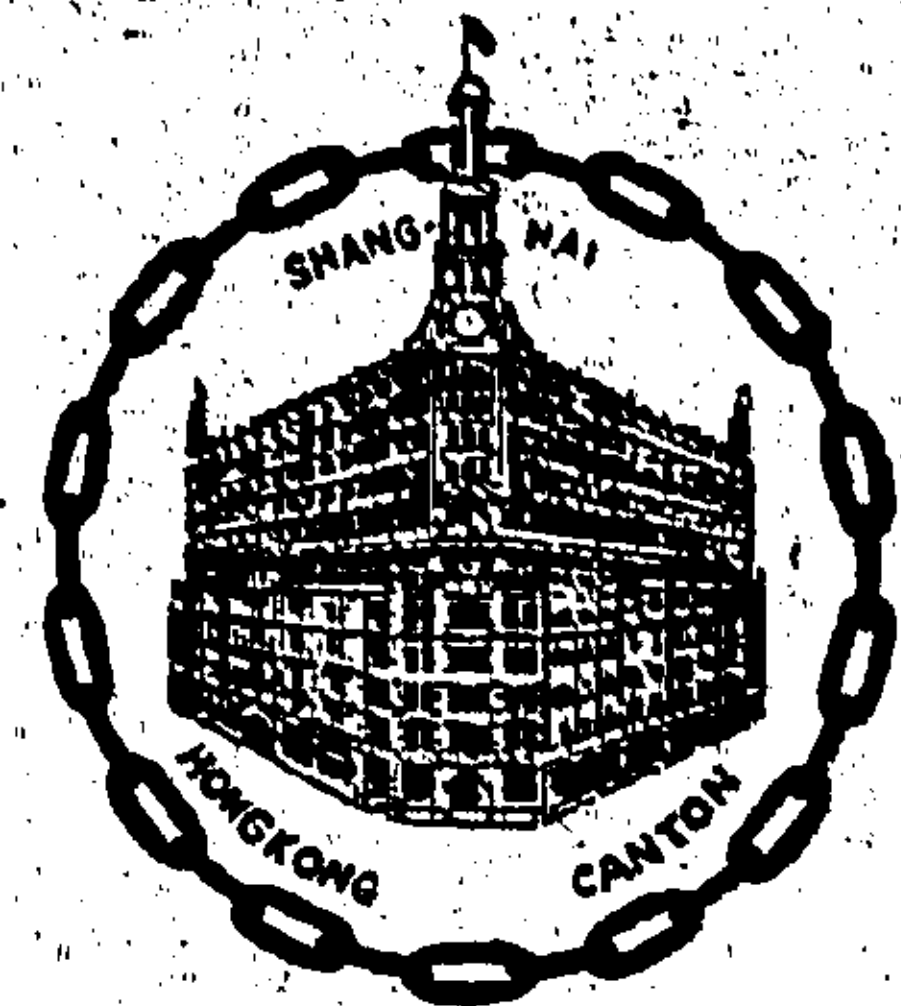
9.30-11.30 p.m.—A relay of the Hong Kong Hotel Dance Orchestra from the Hong Kong Hotel Grill Room by courtesy of the Management. (During the intervals recorded music will be broadcast from the Studio.)

10.30 p.m.—Rugby Mid-day Press news.

11.30 p.m.—Close down.

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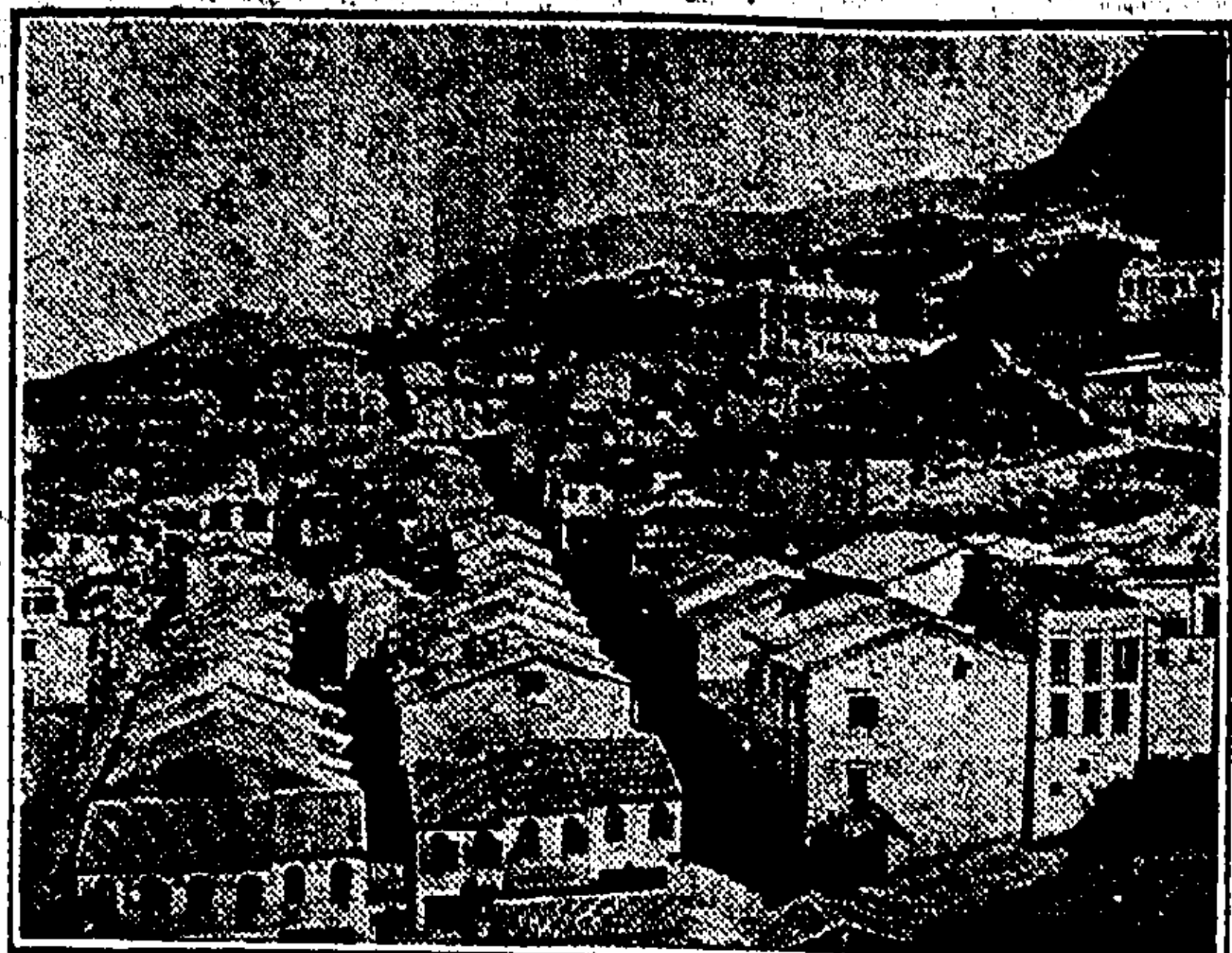
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HONGKONG SIXTY YEARS AGO



Taken from the Western end of Caine Road the above picture shows the Taiping Shan area as it appeared in 1873. To-day this is the most crowded district in the Colony. This picture is published by courtesy of the German Club.

ECHOES OF 1858

29.—Strange Story of 51 chests of Indian Opium

HONG KONG, JULY 28, 1858.

On Saturday afternoon an Indian firm dispatched one of their native clerks to collect from the receiving ships *Cina Family* and *Fort William*, 47 chests of Malva Opium and 4 chests Patna, and to bring the same on shore. A large cargo boat was hired, and one of the coolies in the employ of the firm accompanied the native clerk. The drug was all collected and the boat left the *Fort William* about four p.m. since when nothing whatever has been heard of it.

So much for having the ships on the Kowloon shore. With heavy moorings the receiving ships would be safer close to the Town. The convenience of having them close in, to say nothing of security would be considerable.

June 29, 1858.

H. M. Gunboat, *Algerine*, which was sent to look after the cargo boat that made off with 51 chests of Opium on Saturday, as mentioned in our issue of yesterday, returned at six this morning, bringing the cargo boat and about 15 chests of opium. The gunboat effected the capture at old Tyeping, about 11 a.m. yesterday. The crew seemed to be working hard discharging the Opium until the *Algerine* appeared when they made off up the hill and not one was captured.

The body of the Indian clerk who was in charge of the Opium, was, we hear seen floating in the harbour yesterday. The information, however, does not appear to have reached the Police office.

June 30, 1858.

The partial recovery of the Opium made off with by the cargo boat on Saturday is a brilliant little affair in its way and tends to prove the case with which we might keep piracy in check and the whole Coast in subjection if two or three gunboats were kept in constant

readiness.

It seems on this occasion that Inspector Roberts took the matter in hand and judged from the way the wind prevailed at the time of the robbery, that the thieves had made for Taiping a town about 45 miles off, situated far in Bias or Taipoung Bay on the left hand of Southern shore. Nothing was done on Saturday night, but on Sunday morning the *Shamrock* started at about seven. Inspector Roberts and some of the Police Force joining the expedition. Kowloon was visited and the shore thereabout scoured, and Taipoung was made for, but the weather was found too hard for such a small vessel as the *Shamrock* and she had to turn back. The Police authorities then applied to the Colonial Secretary, who applied to Commodore Stewart, who dispatched the *Algerine*, gunboat, at eleven on Sunday night. Inspector Roberts again accompanying. Taipoung was reached about daylight, and there sure enough was the piratical cargo boat. The chances are that had the gunboat started twenty-four hours sooner she would have arrived at Taipoung as soon as the thief. As it was all the opium had been discharged. Twenty men were landed to see the authorities. The town is walled—at the first gate the party went to, stones had been placed over the gate to hurl on the strangers, who entered at another gate, searched the Mandarin's office and found a quantity of opium which they brought to Hong Kong, but which instead of comprising the equivalent of 15 chests as stated yesterday will not amount to more than 6 or 8 chests. The party was not strong enough to capture the guilty ones, but brought one or two Mandarin people with them, and both the cargo boats. That is quite enough for the public to know at present.

TO-MORROW'S CHURCH SERVICES

(Seventh Sunday After Trinity)

Anglican Churches

ST. JOHN'S CATHEDRAL,
HONG KONG.

Seventh Sunday after Trinity.
Holy Communion, 8 a.m.
Holy Communion (Peak Church), 9 a.m.
Children's Service, 10 a.m.
Matins and Sermon, 11 a.m.
Preacher: Rev. N. V. Halward.
Evangelist, 8.30 p.m.
Preacher: Rev. L. L. Nash.
Week Day Services.
Matins, Daily at 9.00 a.m. except Tuesdays.
Intercessions for the Sick Wednesday at 10.15 a.m.
Holy Communion, Thursday at 7.45 a.m.
Choir Practice, Friday at 5.30 p.m.

ST. ANDREW'S CHURCH,
KOWLOON.

Services for Sunday, 30th July.
7th Sunday after Trinity.
8.15 a.m. Holy Communion.
10 a.m. Young People's Service and Primates' Sunday School.
11 a.m. Morning Prayer and

Sermon, Preacher—The Vicar.
3 p.m. Sunday School.
6 p.m. Evening Prayer and Sermon, Preacher—The Vicar.
Friday, August 4th. The working party in connection with the International Pageant and Fair, will meet in the Church Hall at 10.30 a.m.
Communicants' Preparation Service 9 p.m.

UNION CHURCH

Kennedy Road.
(Hong Kong).
SUNDAY, JULY 29, 1933.
Sunday School, 9.30 a.m.
Morning Service, 10.30 a.m. (Broad-cast).
Evening Service, 6 p.m.
Preacher at both Services—
Rev. E. C. H. Tribbeck.

Catholic Churches
THE CATHEDRAL (CAINE ROAD).

July 30th.—8th Sunday after Pentecost.
In the morning:
At 8 Mass.
At 9 Enriching of the Holy (Continued in next column).

CHINESE MOTORIST FINED

FOR DANGEROUS DRIVING
ON INLAND ROAD

Fines totalling \$40 were imposed on a Chinese named Loke, Yoon, who was charged before Mr. Schofield at Central Magistracy yesterday with dangerous driving and failing to notify his change of address. Defendant was also fined \$10 for allowing an unlicensed driver to drive his car, and another \$10 was imposed on a girl, whom he represented, for driving without a licence.

No Rear Light.

Mr. F. W. Ambrose was fined \$3 for failing to have an illuminated rear light on his motor cycle while driving in Island Road on July 13.

Defendant admitted the offence, and said he could not account for the light going out. He had it repaired the following day.

Disobeying Signal.

Mr. F. C. E. Rendall, appearing for a lorry driver, Tam Chi Kin, who was summoned for having disobeyed a police signal in Caine Road, tendered a plea of "not guilty."

Hearing was fixed for Friday, August 4.

Water Mass with Chinese Sermon.
At 10.30 Mass with English Sermon.

In the afternoon:
At 4 Benediction of the Blessed Sacrament.

Week days:
Mass at 6 and 7.30 a.m.
August 1.—The Indulgence of Portiuncula can be gained in the Cathedral from noon to-day till midnight, to-morrow. (At least 8 *Pater Aves* and *Gloria* must be said in every visit).
August 2.—Beginning of the Novena in honour of St. Philomena at 7.30.

Devotion for the Portiuncula and Benediction at 5.30 p.m.
August 3.—Holy Hour from 5.30 to 6.30 p.m.
August 4.—Devotions of the 1st Friday of the month at 7 a.m.
Benediction at 5.30 p.m.
Meeting of the Promoters of the Apostleship of prayer.

Free Churches

ENGLISH METHODIST
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The following are the forthcoming Services to be held at the Methodist Church (opposite R. N. Hospital, Queens Road, E.).
Sunday July 29.

Morning Service, 10.15 a.m.
Preacher: Rev. E. G. Powell.
Hymn No. 900. "Awake, my soul and with the sun" (Tune, Melcombe 901).

Invocation.
The Lords' Prayer.
Lesson.

Hymn No. 975. "O King of Kings" (Tune, Rex Regum).
Prayers.

Notices.
Hymn No. 426 "Love divine, all loves exceeding" (Tune, Bithynia) Sermon.

Hymn No. 456 "I need thee every hour" (Tune, 217 People's Hymnary).
Blessing.

National Anthem.
Evening Service 8.15 p.m. Preacher: Rev. E. G. Powell.

Hymn No. 483. "My Father knows" (Tune, Wareham, No. 526).
Lesson.

Prayer.
Hymn No. 527 "The thing we God doth hate" (Tune, St. Augustine).
Silent Prayer. The Lord's Prayer.

Hymn No. 563. "Give me the faith" (Tune, Pater Omnium No. 564).
Sermon.

Hymn No. 597. "What shall we offer" (Tune, Duke Street).
Blessing.

Vesper.
SAILORS' AND SOLDIERS' HOME.

Sunday July 29, 7 p.m. Christian Social Hour.

Monday and Thursday at 7 p.m. Badminton Club meet.

SPECIAL NOTICE.
Sunday July 29, A Service for Methodist and United Board Troops of the 1st Batt. The Lincolnshire Regiment, will be held at the N. A. A. F. Institute, Shamshui Camp, commencing at 8.30 a.m.

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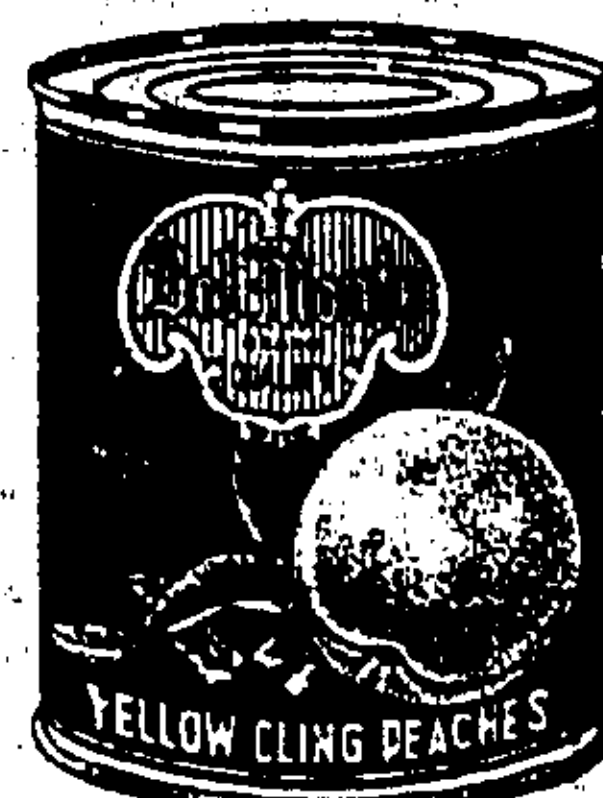
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BRITAIN DRAWS FIRST BLOOD

"BUNNY" AUSTIN BEATS MERLIN

Frenchman Outplayed In Opening Game

Auteuil, July 28.
Much interest was taken in the opening stages of the challenge round of the Davis Cup competition between France (holders) and Great Britain which opened here to-day. Long before the matches started, the stands were packed with enthusiastic followers of the game, and by the time the game between Bunny Austin, the British No. 1 and Merlin, the young Frenchman, was due to start, excitement had risen to fever pitch.

PERRY BEATS COCHET

Despite the sweltering heat, 13,000 people turned out to watch this battle between Austin and Merlin. The much-coveted Davis Cup was enthroned opposite the Presidential Box in which the President and his party sat watching the game with the greatest interest.

Austin appeared to be quite cool and collected when he entered the court, but his opponent, maybe affected by the importance of the occasion, for this is the first time he had represented his country in such an encounter, gave the impression that he was rather nervous.

Bunny played up to his real form, and exploiting a devastating forehand drive, mixed cleverly with some beautifully placed side-liners, started to outplay Merlin. The Frenchman did not seem to find his length, and the result that Austin took the first stanza at 6-3 after leading at 4-1.

Although somewhat shaken after losing the first set, Merlin played with grim determination in the second set and though he lost the first four games, took it to ten games before he lost it. This time Austin made some bad mistakes, and played into Merlin's hands, giving him some easy

points. The Frenchman drove powerfully on both hands, and sent over some "aces" which left Austin standing at the net.

Holding a lead of two sets must have acted as a tonic to the Englishman for he started off the third stanza like a man possessed, and driving, smashing and volleying with the greatest precision, he took six games off the real to give Britain the first victory in the challenge round.

The final scores in his favour were, 6-3, 6-4 and 6-0.
At the end of the game, Austin looked ill and very distressed, evidently suffering from the effect of the intense heat.—*Reuter.*

Perry Wins

Auteuil, Later.
Britain has definitely assumed a commanding position, Perry also winning his single match against Cochet to give the "Old Country" a lead of two games to nil.

This match was more exciting than the Austin-Merlin affair and went the full distance before Perry won it.

The scores in Perry's favour were: 8-10; 6-4; 8-6; 3-6 and 6-4.—*Reuter.*

PREMIER CLOSES W.E.C. SESSION

MAY REASSEMBLE IN A FEW MONTHS

London, July 27.
With a single knock of the hammer, Mr. Ramsay MacDonald declared the session of the World Economic Conference ended.

The delegates trooped out after Mr. James Cox, on behalf of the Conference, thanked His Majesty for opening, Mr. MacDonald for his able presidency, and the British Government for their generous hospitality.

Mr. MacDonald and Mr. Neville Chamberlain briefly replied.

In his final speech, the Premier said—

"At this point we adjourn not because we are defeated or discouraged, but because the committee require a little longer to continue their deliberations and to consider their conclusions. You will therefore please consider the resolution as keeping the machinery in being, instructing your Bureau to remain in active life. To ensure that the activity may be more vital, your Bureau will appoint an Executive Committee of various chairmen and rapporteurs who have been guiding the work since the conference opened.

As President both of the Bureau and of that Executive Committee, I promise this work will be done as quickly as possible. I can give no dates for the essential part of work is to be intricate and a number of opposing views and proposals will have to be examined.

"My fellow delegates and myself, however, share the view that the conditions of things which we are facing such as unemployment, bankruptcies, un-

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LONDON PRESS COMMENT

LONDON, July 28.
THE exodus of the World Economic Conference is the subject of lengthy leaders in this morning's London Newspapers, which, generally, recognise the failure to reach agreement on the subjects on the agenda, as inevitable in view of the grave world economic conditions.

In this connection, *The Times* declares that although the Conference itself has achieved no practical results, it has succeeded in doing a great deal of the spadework necessary to enable the next Conference to accomplish something more definite.

It is clear that it is of no use meeting again before the results of the great experiment in America is sufficiently clear to enable President Roosevelt to adopt a definite policy regarding the exchange value of the dollar and the whole economic and financial relationship between the United States and the rest of the world.—*Reuter.*

ONLY A RUMOUR!

LONDON, July 28.
RUMOURS that President Roosevelt intends to temporarily abandon the devaluation of the dollar caused it strengthen in terms of sterling to 4.51 at opening of the Foreign Exchange Market. It hardened to 4.33 but eased later to 4.45 on the absence of a confirmation report.—*Reuter.*

balanced budgets, undeveloped resources—is a challenge to the capacity of Governments.

"The impossible we cannot perform. But we are convinced that there is a very large field which is not yet explored and cultivated. Therefore I bid you adieu in the firm conviction that before many months I shall welcome you once again.—*Reuter and British Wireless.*

MR. CORDELL HULL

Talk Of His Resignation

POSITION HAS BECOME "INCONGRUOUS"

New York, July 28.
The New York *Herald-Tribune* Washington Correspondent says that there is a talk that Mr. Cordell Hull is resigning from the post of Secretary of State owing to his treatment at the President's hands and the intervention of Dr. Moley at the World Economic Conference. The newspaper says that it is hinted in inner circles of the Administration that Mr. Hull's position has become "incongruous." Meanwhile President Roosevelt has cabled Mr. Hull an invitation to stay at his New York home and this is regarded as the first step towards appeasement.—*Reuter.*

The President Encouraged

Washington, July 28.
President Roosevelt is greatly encouraged by the country's response to his re-employment campaign and has decided to assume new powers in forcing industries to adopt the Wage and Hour Codes.

It is now announced that after August 8, the President may fix the hours and wages of all industries which have not filed their own codes.—*Reuter.*

SILVER MARKET

(From Our Own Correspondent)

LONDON, July 28.
FOLLOWING ARE THE SILVER QUOTATIONS ON THE LONDON MARKET TO-DAY:
July 28 July 27
SPOT 168 183/16
FORWARD 157/16 181
THE LONDON ON NEW YORK
CROSS RATE TO-DAY WAS: £1= \$4.46.

TO REDUCE WHEAT PRODUCTION

U.S. GOVERNMENT ISSUES STATEMENT

WASHINGTON, July 27.
AN indication of the Government's efforts to reduce the production of wheat to the level of requirements for domestic purposes is contained in a statement issued by the Secretary of Agriculture.

The announcement says that wheat production allotments totaling 438,193,000 bushels for next year will be used as the basis for the bonuses to be paid to farmers agreeing to reduce their acreage up to twenty per cent.

The allotment represents fifty-four per cent of the average production of the United States over a period of five years.

Farmers agreeing to reduce their acreage will be paid a bounty of twenty-eight cents a bushel on the allotted production, from money to be provided from the general processing tax on millers.—*Reuter.*

Adjournment in London.
London, July 27.
While no agreement has yet been reached, there are reasonable prospects that present difficulties will be adjusted if further consultations are arranged, states an official communiqué concerning the wheat restriction discussions which have been adjourned until August 21.

The adjournment has been decided upon in order to give the delegates an opportunity to consult with their governments.

The four overseas exporting countries have reached an agreement in principle on how to co-operate in the proposed Wheat Plan and have reached an understanding with the Danubian countries concerning the latter's participation in the scheme.

Negotiations aiming at Russian co-operation are also being continued.—*Reuter.*

Chicago Prices Rise.
Chicago, July 27.
Excited buying caused a sharp rise in wheat to-day, the price soaring seven cents a bushel on opening to-day following reports of a further probable deterioration of the Canadian crop.—*Reuter.*

Surplus for the Orient.
Washington, July 27.
The Chief Administrator of the Farm Relief Act has indicated that he is considering assisting wheat growers on the Pacific coast to export their surplus grain to the Orient.—*Reuter.*

THOSE CORAL ISLANDS

Nanking Urged To Lodge Strong Protest

Nanking, July 28.
The Foreign Office has received telegrams from public organisations requesting that a strong protest be lodged with the French Government regarding their occupation of the group of coral islands, between Borneo, Indo-China and the Philippines.—*Reuter.*

[It will be recalled that an earlier message was to the effect that the islands are known in Chinese as the Sisha Group and are mostly populated by Chinese fishermen. They are considered to be under Chinese Sovereignty.]

Canton's Attitude

(From Our Special Correspondent)

CANTON, July 28.
Regarding the coral islands, the South-west Political Council decided this morning to refer the matter to the Kwangtung Provincial Council for consideration and action.

More Objections

CANTON, July 28.
High officials of the South-West are surprised and shocked to learn the French occupation of the Coral Islands which was proclaimed by the French Government on July 25.

There are altogether fifteen islands in the archipelago of which nine important and strategic ones are now occupied by the French. Known in China as Second Sai Sha Islands, they are located at latitude 15-17 degrees North and longitude 110-121 degrees East.

According to the local vernacular Press, the Chinese Government has long recognized these islands as Chinese possessions, as they are included in the map of China and are the homes of Chinese fishermen, who regard the islands as Chinese territory.

Located between the Philippine Islands and Indo-China, the Coral Islands are regarded by the authorities here as within the sphere of the South-West, and local officials are making a study of the legal position of the matter. In their view, China has been in lawful occupation of these islands by the laws of nations, and if they are occupied by the French, this act is nothing short of invasion.

Chinese Press reports state that following the French occupation of the Chinese fishermen were ejected from the islands. The adjacent waters are rich in fishes, and before the French occupation Chinese fishermen made a comfortable living there.—*Central Press.*

PROSPERITY PUSH IN AMERICA

TREMENDOUS DRIVE LAUNCHED

WASHINGTON, July 27.
A TREMENDOUS drive to launch a big prosperity push in the United States was commenced to-day.

Newspaper appeals, nation wide broadcast messages and street corner orations were all exploited the drive, while a fleet of aeroplanes distributed seventy-seven million blank forms to employers in all the States.

The whole country was also flooded with a great "recruiting" poster.

Meanwhile, it is stated that the Chevrolet Company at Detroit have increased the hourly wages of their forty thousand employees by fifteen per cent while in order to permit full co-operation in President Roosevelt's programme, the Governor of New York State has asked the State Legislature to suspend the anti-trust laws.

It is unofficially estimated that thanks to the rise in grain prices, the cash income of the farmers in June was thirty-seven per cent greater than in June, 1932.—*Reuter.*

HUANG FU TO PROCEED TO KULING

NANKING, July 27.
AN official despatch from Kuling to-day states that General Chiang Kai Shek has sent an urgent telegram to General Huang Fu insisting that he proceed to Kuling, in order to discuss the Chahar Problem.

Mr. Tseng Chung-min, who is Mr. Wang Ching Wei's spokesman, in an interview with the Press stated that since the Kuling Conference mainly dealt with military affairs, Mr. Wang has not participated in any formal Conferences.—*Reuter.*

BANDITS ENTER YINGKOW

2 MOHAMMEDAN YOUTHS TAKEN CAPTIVE

Yingchow, July 28.
Within two hundred yards of the Newchwang Club, seven bandits entered the home of a prominent native Mohammedan merchant, named Chang Sung Pui, amidst heavy rain at two this morning, demanding funds.

The bandits accepted fifteen pairs of gold bracelets, three thousand dollars in cash in consideration not to remove their victim but insisted on taking his two sons as hostages for further payments.

A police sentry fired on the band when leaving. The sentry was reproved by them for running risks of a reprisal, whereupon he retired to a nearby police-box with a connecting telephone to all stations.

Notwithstanding measures taken, the raiding party succeeded in accomplishing their exit from the town at about dawn.—*Reuter.*

Rescued From Kidnappers

Yingchow, July 28.
Two of the Mohammedan captives returned safely at 10 o'clock this morning.

The kidnappers, after a successful exit, were intercepted in the village of Hanchia, five miles east of Newchwang at eight o'clock by village volunteers who were armed with muskets and obsolete weapons who attacked the bandit party, killing two and scattering the remaining five.

The captives returned home under a strong escort of armed villagers.—*Reuter.*

SOVIET TRAIN HELD UP

18 RUSSIAN EMIGRES ON BOARD

HARBIN, July 28.
MANCHUKUO frontier guards yesterday surrounded and escorted to Pogranichnaya a train belonging to the Ussuri Railway which had entered Manchukuo territory and steamed to the west of the border city, presumably to take on board and convey a number of Soviet citizens and all their belongings back to Russia.

It is alleged that 15 Soviet citizens boarded the train, together with their baggage, although none of them had outward visas and no Customs examination of their belongings had been made.

The Soviet Consul-General M. Slavutsky, protested to Manchukuo, demanding the release of the train, which is being detained at Pogranichnaya.

M. Slavutsky also communicated with the Manchukuo Foreign Office, demanding the release of 15 Soviet youths who were arrested by Manchukuo frontier guards when they crossed over the frontier near Pogranichnaya yesterday.—*Reuter.*

Manchukuo Troops in Dolonor? PEIKING, July 28.
The Peiping Chronicle this morning quotes a "spokesman of the Military Council" as stating that Manchukuo troops have moved into Chahar and occupied Dolonor.

An official spokesman of the Council informs *Reuter*, in response to enquiries, that there is no truth in this report, the fact that the town is still policed by 1,000 of General Fung Yu Shiang's troops, who have been there since the main body of General Fung's forces withdrew.—*Reuter.*

Wang Going to Kuling. NANKING, July 28.
It is learnt that Mr. Wang Ching Wei is leaving for Nanking from Kuling, the Conference there having ended yesterday.

It is reported that Mr. Wang telegraphed to the Canton leaders, stating that the Kuling Conference has found it necessary to proceed on the re-division of the Provinces, as was agreed in principle at the fourth Plenary Session of the Central Executive Council.

The telegram requests the opinion of the Southern leaders thereon.—*Reuter.*

Sussex Win

LONDON, July 28.
Sussex beat Derby by 189 runs.
Scores:—
Sussex: 209 (Cappon 5 for 56) and 308 (Pope 7 for 84).
Derby: 180 (Cornford 5 for 28) and 152 (Bowley 4 for 34).—*Reuter.*

CHIANG KAI SHEK

Urged Not To Attack The "Christian" General

Shanghai, July 28.
Public bodies here engaged in national salvation activities yesterday sent a joint telegram to General Chiang Kai Shek, Chairman of the Nanking Military Commission, persuading him not to attack or oppress General Fung Yu Hsiang, leader of the people's anti-Japanese allied forces.

These bodies celebrated the recapture of Dolonor at the Y.M.C.A. in Frenchtown last night and by a unanimous resolution sent a congratulatory telegram to General Fung for his military success and noble aims. A telegram was also sent to the South-west Political Council asking it to send troops to the Yangtze Valley as reinforcements for General Fung.

In another telegram to the northern generals, this gathering urged that all Chinese troops be used only for repelling Japanese invasion and asked the military commanders not to be utilized by a selfish individual.

The Local Association for the Support and Relief to the Volunteers telegraphed to General Chiang Kai Shek urging him not to fight the people's anti-Japanese allied forces. It pointed out that in case Chiang's troops are victorious, they would become the laughing stock for winning only in civil war, while if the Nanking forces are defeated the result will be disastrous.—*Central Press.*

Chiang Severely Censured

CANTON, July 28.
GENERAL Chiang Kai Shek, chairman of the Nanking military commission, is censured in a circular telegram by the Kuomintang office of the local Sun Yat Sen University for mobilizing his troops to stamp out the anti-Japanese forces in Chahar.

The telegram, in part, follows: "The Nanking government never believed in resisting Japanese aggression. This was indicated by the signing of a compromise agreement with the Japanese at Shanghai in March, 1932. Then again Nanking signed another compromise pact with the Japanese at Tangku bartering away the four north-eastern provinces.

"The reason is that Nanking troops never made a strong stand against the enemy under the excuse that they are too powerful. But General Fung Yu Hsiang is courageous enough to fight the Japanese and has thus angered General Chiang Kai Shek, who has an understanding with Japan not to resist their invasion.

"This act is nothing short of sedition on the part of Nanking. Let us rise up to support General Fung Yu Hsiang and at the same time put down the traitors and cowards."—*Central Press.*

Retrocession Of Occupied Districts

PEIKING, July 28.
A TRAIN carrying Magistrates and Directors of the Public Safety for retroceded districts reached Changli late last evening and is this morning proceeding to Shanhaikuan.

The Hopei Provincial Government has received telegrams from the new Magistrates at Fengjiao and Ningbo reporting that they have assumed duties and are taking over from Li Chi Chun's nominees. Chinese press this morning declare that when the retrocession of the areas is complete the Japanese intend still to maintain patrol posts inside the Great Wall. It is stated that such posts will be established at Nantienmen, Kupei.—*(Continued on next column)*

A DASTARDLY CRIME

General's Bodyguard Shot To Death

(From Our Special Correspondent)

Canton, July 28.
A bodyguard of General Li Yang Ching, commanding officer of the third Kwangtung army, was killed by bullet wounds at 2 a.m. this morning on the Tungshan golf ground near Mow Yee Kong. He was murdered by one or more unknown assailants who fired about twelve revolver shots.

Five shots found their mark in the body of the soldier, who, it is thought, died instantly. Owing to the fusillade of shots, the Police from the Tungshan station thought that a gun battle was on and rushed to the scene only to find a dead body in a pool of blood.

As the spot is close to the Canton-Kowloon Railway, a guard got to the scene first and found a Mauser pistol in the possession of the deceased. The police do not think that robbery was the motive, as the pistol, which is valued at about \$150, was not taken away.

General Li Yang Ching's residence is within seven minutes from the place where his bodyguard was killed, and it appears that the guard was on his way home from the city. Because of ill health, the general has been remaining at his mansion at Plum Blossom Village for the past seven months, while his troops are scattered between the eastern districts of Kwangtung and South Kiangsi.

THE KULING PARLEY

And Its Secret Plans

SHANGHAI, July 28.
FOLLOWING the close of the Kuling conference, General Chiang Kai Shek has decided to train 180 regiments of about 350,000 soldiers to garrison Hupei, Anhui, Honan, Kiangsi, Kiangsu, and Chekiang. Already 150,000 men have been recruited.

This new army will undergo intensive training of three months and will be turned into seasoned troops. All commissioned officers from second Lieutenant up have to take an oath to support the military commission as well as the Blue Shirt Party of which General Chiang is the alleged leader.

The Kuling conference was said to have decided that General Chiang should be appointed as generalissimo of land, sea and air forces in place of his present chairmanship of the military affairs commission. As generalissimo, Chiang has supreme military, naval and aerial power without calling any meeting of a commission.

Appointment will be made shortly by the National Government at Nanking. The conference has mapped out a concrete plan *vis-a-vis* the Southwest which has criticized the jelly-like foreign policy of Nanking, though this plan is kept in secret and known only to those who took part in the meeting.—*Central Press.*

kow, Hsienkung, Langchow and at Chiumenkw and Shanhaikuan.

During the last twenty-four hours three trains carrying irregulars of Li Chi Chun passed through Tientsin on their way to Machang for dispersal, but the men are dispersing themselves en route. One train which carried 1,200 men from Tangshan had only 900 when the train reached Tientsin, while the second batch of men of a thousand strong was reduced by four hundred when Tientsin was reached. In addition, 900 men disappeared from the third train which had only 80 men on board when the train passed through Tientsin.—*Reuter.*

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HOME CRICKET

VERITY AGAIN DOES WELL

London, July 28.
Yorkshire at full strength
proved too good for Middlesex
at Lord's where the fine bowling of
Headley Verity (11 for 92) gave the
champions a ten-wicket victory
yesterday.Rasek, aided by good bowling by
Nichols and a century by Jack
O'Connor, beat Gloucester by an
innings in the other match con-
cluded in two days.

COUNTY CHAMPIONSHIP

Yorkshire beat Middlesex by 10
wickets at Lord's.
Middlesex 136 (Verity 5 for 45)
192 (Verity 6 for 49).
Yorkshire 202 (Sims 4 for 106)
28 for no wicket.Essex beat Gloucester by an in-
nings and 48 runs at Clacton.
Gloucester 145 (Nichols 2 for 68)
Essex 211.Essex beat O'Connor 140.
Essex 140 (O'Connor 140).
Essex 140 (O'Connor 140).

LEAGUE TENNIS

Chinese Beat Recreio
EasilyThree games were played in the
tennis league last evening, two in
the Mixed Doubles and one in the
"B" Division.
As expected Recreio were no
match for the Chinese R.C. in
their Mixed Doubles game, losing
by 7 sets to 2. For their victory
over L.R.C. the Indian were in-
debted chiefly to H. D. Rumjahn
and his sister Miss R. Rumjahn
who won all their sets.In the "B" Division game at
Pokfulam the Indian R.C. beat the
undergraduates much easier than
was anticipated.

MIXED DOUBLES.

I.R.C. v. L.R.C.

At Sookunpoo the Indian R.C.
beat Ladies Recreation Club by 6
sets to 3.Scores:-
H. D. Rumjahn and Miss R. Rum-
jahn (I.R.C.):—beat H. Armstrong and Mrs.
Stafford-Smith 6-3beat Humphreys and Miss
Wentworth 6-1beat R. H. Wild and Miss
Lissaman 6-0I. M. Razack and J. Gecks (I.R.C.)
lost to Armstrong and Mrs.
Stafford-Smith 3-6beat Humphreys and Miss
Wentworth 6-2beat Wild and Miss Lissaman
6-4S. A. Rumjahn and Mrs. Kew
(I.R.C.):—lost to Armstrong and Mrs.
Stafford-Smith 6-7beat Humphreys and Miss
Wentworth 6-2lost to Wild and Miss Lissaman
0-6

C.R.C. v. Recreio.

At Causeway Bay the match be-
tween the Chinese R.C. and Re-
creio resulted in a win for the hosts
by 7 sets to 2.Scores:-
M. W. Lo and Mrs. T. F. Lo
(C.R.C.):—lost to J. Gonsalves and Miss
Botelho 4-6lost to A. V. Remedios and
Miss C. Botelho 3-6beat C. A. Baretto and Miss
O. Ribeiro 6-2Tsu Wai Pui and Mrs. Chu
(C.R.C.):—beat Gonsalves and Miss
Botelho 6-2beat Remedios and Miss
Botelho 6-1beat Baretto and Miss Ribi-
ro 6-0M. C. Hung and Miss R. Perry
(C.R.C.):—beat J. Gonsalves and Miss
Botelho 6-0beat Remedios and Miss
Botelho 6-3beat Baretto and Miss Ribi-
ro 6-2

"B" DIVISION.

H.K.U. v. L.R.C.

At Pokfulam the visitors were too
good and won easily by 8 sets to 1.Scores:-
S. H. Wong and P. C. Lee
(H.K.U.):—lost to A. H. and A. K.
Suffad 2-6lost to S. A. Ismail and A.
H. Madar 4-6beat A. H. Rumjahn and J.
A. Curroom 6-4H. T. Bee and C. K. Quick
(H.K.U.):—lost to A. H. and A. K.
Suffad 3-6lost to S. A. Ismail and A.
H. Madar 3-6lost to A. H. Rumjahn and J.
A. Curroom 1-6J. F. Chan and K. S. Cheng
(H.K.U.):—lost to A. H. and A. K.
Suffad 0-6lost to S. A. Ismail and A.
H. Madar 2-6lost to A. H. Rumjahn and J.
A. Curroom 1-6

LEAGUE BOWLS

K.O.C. TEAMS FOR TO-DAY
The following team will repre-
sent the K.O.C. to-day:-
At 3.30 p.m. sharp at K.O.C.:
K.C.C. v. C.C.C.W. Hyde, J. A. Howe, E. C.
Fincher, A. Hyde Lay (Skip).
H. Overy, A. E. Hayward, F.
Goodwin, J. Fraser (Skip).J. M. W. Brown, V. C. Labrum,
J. M. Jack, A. E. Silkestone (Skip).
C.C.C. v. K.C.C. At 3.30 p.m. at Happy Valley:
A. Wright, S. A. Houghton, A.
Sperry, W. W. Hirst (Skip).
K. Jones, S. Greenwood, P.
Kristofersen, E. Kern (Skip).
H. G. Haber, M. R. Rakusen,
T. W. Carr, L. Jack (Skip).

"FRANK" AND "TICH"

London, July 28.

Kent beat Leicestershire in their
county championship match by
178 runs. A feature of the
game was the good bowling by Tich
Freeman who took 22 wickets in
two innings for 128 runs, while
Woolley made 131 in a pretty
innings.The scores were:-
Kent, 220 (Smith 5 for 86) and
301 for 9 (Woolley 131).
Leicestershire, 102 (Freeman 8 for 87)
and 175 (Freeman 7 for 41).
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DEFENCE CORPS.(Orders by Colonel L. G. Bird,
D.S.O., O.B.E., Commandant,
H.K.V.D.C.)

1.—Parade.

(a.)—Corps Band:-
Band Practices will take place on
the following dates at Headquarters
at 8 p.m. sharp:-Tuesday, August 1.
Tuesday, August 8.
Friday, August 11.(b.)—The Battery:-
1.—There will be no parade on
Thursday, August 3.2.—There will be a lecture on
Thursday, August 10.(c.)—Engineers Company:-
Practice at the Miniature Range
on Monday, July 31, 1933, at 5.30
p.m.(d.)—Corps Signals:-
Parade at Corps Headquarters at
5.30 p.m. on Tuesday, August 1.(e.)—Machine Gun Troop:-
Parade at Causeway Bay Stable
at 5.30 p.m. on Tuesday, August 1.(f.)—Armoured Car Section:-
Drivers only will parade on Mon-
day, August 31, at Headquarters at
5.30 p.m.(g.)—Motor Machine Gun Section:-
All ranks parade at Headquarters
on Monday, July 31, at 5.30 p.m.
for Machine Gun instruction.(h.)—Machine Gun Company:-
There will be no parade from July
30 to August 1.(i.)—Scottish Company:-
Musketry. All ranks are remind-
ed that Musketry Part III. will be
fired on Sunday, July 30, at Peak
Range at 8.30 a.m.(k.)—Fortiguess Company:-
There will be no lecture on August
1.The next lecture will be held on
August 8. Subject "Duties of Quar-
ter Guards and general discussion
and questions on duties of N.C.O.'s
generally."(l.)—Artillery Company:-
Parade at Headquarters at 5.30
p.m. on Monday, July 31, for
Machine Gun instruction.(m.)—The Officer Commanding
the A.A.L.A. Co. will issue his
Orders to his Companies separately.Promotion.
No. 1741 L/Cpl. M. W. Turner,
Armoured Car Section, is promoted
to Corporal, as from July 28, 1933.Reversion.
No. 1789 Cpl. J. T. Cook, No.
14 Platoon, reverts to ranks at his
own request with effect from July
28, 1933.Leave.
Major C. M. Mannera, A.S.C.
Cadre, is granted leave from July
28 to August 25, 1933.Capt. H. A. Bunbury is grant-
ed three weeks leave from July 27
to August 13, 1933.Struck Off the Strength.
Fined and Dismissed by the
Efficiency Board:- No. 1473 Pte. L.
D. Allen, No. 6 Platoon, as from
July 26, 1933.Permitted to resign:- No. 507
L/Cpl. H. J. Armstrong, Reserve
Company, as from July 21, 1933.Having completed three years'
service:- No. 1543 Gnr. G. H. Gandy,
Battery, as from July 27, 1933; No.
1302 Gnr. W. C. Low, Battery, as
from July 28, 1933.Strength.
No. 2075 Tpr. G. Taylor, Chartered
Bank, Tel. No. 30376, M.G.
Troop, as from July 21, 1933.No. 2076 Tpr. F. E. W. Lamert,
Shamene Printing Press, Ltd., Tel.
No. 26671, M.G. Troop, as from July
24, 1933.No. 2077 Pte. G. W. Giffen,
S.O.M. Post, Tel. No. 26615, No.
14 Platoon, as from July 24, 1933.T. H. S. GALLETTLEY,
Lieutenant.Adjutant, H.K.V.D.C.
Hong Kong, July, 1933.NOTICE.
Sergeant's Mess.The Committee of the above will
meet on Wednesday, August 2, at
6 p.m.

Rifles and Bayonets.

There are still a number of Rifles
and Bayonets which have not been
returned to Store, in spite of the
fact that repeated notices have
appeared in the Orders. Will all
N.O.D.'s and men who are still in
possession of rifles and bayonets,
make a special effort to hand them
in before August 1, 1933.

Annual Aquatic Sports.

The Annual Aquatic Sports will
be held at the Victoria Recreation
Club on Saturday, August 12, 1933,
at 9 p.m.Admission tickets will be obtain-
able at Volunteer Headquarters
(Officers' Mess, Sergeants' Mess
and Canteen) and the Victoria Re-
creation Club. Admission is in-
cluding tax.Entrance fee 50 cents per man
per event, whether team or in-
dividual events. Entries are to be
made in writing accompanied by the
necessary fees to O.S.M. Padgett
at Volunteer Headquarters no later
than 5 p.m. on Monday, August 7,
1933.Full particulars have been issued
to all ranks of the Corps by circu-
lar letter.Permission has been obtained
from the Committee of the Victoria
Recreation Club for entrants in the
above events to practice in the
V.R.C. Swimming Bath during the
afternoon (12 noon to 2 p.m.).There will be dancing for two
hours after the conclusion of the
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Champion: Tea Parties at the Conference:
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AN UNUSUAL GIFT

LONDON, July 11.

Amidst the familiar host of
silver, dinner sets, dressing cases,
and lamps, the gift of a wedding
march to Mr. Henry Channon for
his marriage to Lady Honor Guine-
ness is a resourceful departure from
custom.The Channon March, the novel
present composed by Mr. John
Churchill, nephew of Mr. Winston
Churchill, will be played during
the ceremony next Friday, at St.
Margaret's.The indestructible nature of such
a gift may perhaps have been
prompted by the fate of the free-
cocks painted by Mr. Churchill for
Mr. Channon's flat, which were
severely damaged in a recent fire.

A TRIPLE CHAMPION

Jack Crawford, the Australian
who recaptured the lawn tennis
championship for the Empire at
Wimbledon yesterday, follows an-
other Australian holder, Gerald
Patterson, who won in 1922.Crawford is now champion of
three countries, Australia, France,
and Great Britain.As he has been invited to go to
the United States after the Davis
Cup, he has the unique opportunity
of winning the championships of
four leading lawn tennis nations—
and of being the champion player
of three continents.

WIMBLEDON'S "DRAWS"

Curiously enough, the centre
court at Wimbledon yesterday was
by no means the crowded spot one
might have expected. All the seats
were taken, of course, but I could
see large gaps in the free standing
room, which—comparing it with
Wimbledon's own record-breaking
standard of this year—was only
comfortably filled.What is the explanation of this
strange failure of the men's singles
final to "pull the crowd"? Was it
that many people stayed away be-
cause they feared a crushing attend-
ance in the sultry weather?Or can it be that "Wimbledon"
really prefers the women to the
men? No fair comparison in at-
tendance can be made as between
yesterday and to-day because a
Saturday final should always score
over a Friday.But the thought that women
players may possibly out men in
the favour of the public is one
which I am sure will be "viewed
with grave disquiet" by many who
will see in it further proof of the
softening of our national fibre.

TEA PARTIES AT W.E.C.

To the casual visitor much that
goes on in the lobby of the World
Conference is apparently pointless.
Yet, for those who have eyes to see,
much can be gathered from the
little tea parties that are held.Thus, when in the closing hour
of the Monetary Committee's al-
l-day debate, M. Bonnet accom-
panied by two of his advisers, sat
down at one of the little tables
with Mr. Chamberlain and Sir
Frederick Leith-Ross and engaged
in animated and friendly discus-
sion, it was not difficult to guess
that some urgent matter required
settlement.The point in this instance was
not, perhaps, of vital moment. I
believe it concerned the British
desire to press the subject of debate
to a division and the French desire
to avoid this public demonstration
of opinion.

Hopes of Co-operation.

Mr. Chamberlain carried his
point, but it was equally apparent
—and pleasant to note—that the
decision was reached without any
hard feelings being aroused on
either side.I say pleasant to note because
there are some in high places at
South Kensington who believe that
the strength of Franco-British
friendship at the Conference may
yet result in fuller co-operation
in discussion of monetary problems
than might have been anticipated
from the outcome of yesterday's
debate.FAMOUS MSS. FOR BRITISH
MUSEUMIn a case in the Grenville Library
of the British Museum there have
been placed on exhibition volumes
and letters comprising perhaps the
most important gift of literary
manuscripts of the Victorian period
which has ever been presented to
the Museum.They consist of the original
scripts (each in three volumes) of
Charlotte Brontë's "Shirley,"
"Villette," and "Jane Eyre"; of
the whole Browning's "The Ring
and the Book"; of Elizabeth Bar-
rett Browning's "Sonnets from the
Portuguese"; of Thackeray's "The
Widow's Tale"; and of a manu-

U.S. BASEBALL

SPLENDID PITCHING BY
HUBBELLNew York, July 27.
MEETING in one of the most im-
portant matches of the season,
Washington Senators to-day beat
the New York Yankees in the tenth
inning.In the National League some
splendid pitching by Hubbell and
French saw Brooklyn blanked out
by the Giants and Chicago treated
likewise by Pittsburgh.Scores as supplied by Reuter
were:-

National League.

Philadelphia R. H. E.
Boston 4 12 0
Chicago 3 3 0(McCurdy homered for Philadel-
phia).Philadelphia 2 2 1
Boston 1 5 1(Schulmerich homered for Phi-
ladelphia).New York 3 8 5
Brooklyn 0 4 2(Hubbell pitched and blanked out
Brooklyn).Pittsburgh 2 6 1
Chicago 0 6 0(French pitched and blanked out
Chicago).St. Louis 4 15 0
Cincinnati 3 5 3(Bottomley homered for St.
Louis).

American League.

Chicago 1 5 2
Cleveland 9 14 0Washington 3 7 0
New York 2 7 1

(There were ten innings).

Boston 6 13 1
Philadelphia 12 14 0(Fox homered for Philadelphia
and Walters for Boston).Detroit 9 15 6
St. Louis 10 17 1(Greenberg homered for Detroit.
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TRIBUTES PRIZES

The very satisfactory report, presented at yesterday morning's prizegiving at the Garrison School, Gun Club Hill Barracks, by Lieut. Col. J. H. Thom, D.S.O., R.A., O.C. of the School, was fully endorsed by the bearing of the scholars themselves, a most alert and intelligent looking group of youngsters. The three songs given by the pupils were well rendered and the prize winners came up with military precision to receive their award from one who they know as a very good friend, Mrs. Borrett, the wife of Major General O. C. Borrett, C.B., C.M.G., D.S.O. General Borrett was also among those who attended.

A Bouquet was presented to Mrs. Borrett on conclusion of prize presentation.

The Report.
The school report for period September 1 1932 to July 31 1933 stated:-

There has been one change in the Staffs of the Garrison Schools, Kowloon, since last year. Miss Baker joined the Elder Children's School in May due to an increase in the number of pupils. Mrs. McManamon is returning to the United Kingdom this forthcoming Trooping Season.

There are 107 children on the School Books and the average attendance for the past 12 months has been 92 per cent.

A high standard of work has been maintained throughout the year. Two children obtained scholarships at the Central British School, awarded by the local Government.

Competition for the monthly 'Metric' continues vigorously.

The Annual Swimming Sports were held in September last year and keen competition was shown by all the entrants. They will as usual be held in September this year.

The facilities for outdoor sports are limited and it is not possible to arrange contests with outside schools.

The Boy Scouts and Girl Guides include many of our children among their members.

The School library has been enriched by gifts from the parents and a monthly subscription from the children.

The discipline of the children and their general behaviour and bearing have been uniformly good and reflects great credit on both parents and teachers.

I wish to express the thanks of the Staff to all those who have helped our work during the past year.

Programme.

The following programme was given:-

Song-"O No John" Elder Children.
Song-"How d'you like to be a girl?" Babies.
Song-"Cocky Oily Birds" Std. 1, Infants.

God save the King.
The number and quality of the prizes to be presented to-day is largely due to the generosity with which subscriptions have been given to the Garrison School's Funds.

To all Military Units and Departments, to the Commodore and Dockyard Staff, to the individual members of the Hong Kong Chamber of Commerce, The Education Department, the Soldiers Club and individual parents, I wish on behalf of the Staff and children to offer our grateful thanks.

List of prizewinners.

Garrison childrens schools, Gun Club Hill.

Standard VII.-1st Prize Ernest Potter, 2nd Prize Marjorie Williams, Progress James Baumber, Literature Joan Wright, Sewing Marjorie Williams.

Standard VI.-First Prize Doreen Williams, Second Prize Keith Mackie, Progress Robert Taylor, Sewing Margaret Smith, Special Prize for Handwork and Drawing Peter Comber.

Standard V.-First Prize Fred Thompson, Second Prize Philip (Continued at foot of next column)

HONG KONG BEER IN THE MAKING

A VISIT TO THE BREWERY AT
SHUM TSENG

EXCELLENT WATER SUPPLY AND EXPERIENCED BREWERS

All the Colony is waiting for the beer which has been promised them so long by the Hong Kong Brewers and Distillers Ltd., and the beer is waiting for Hong Kong, and will be on sale in the middle of August.

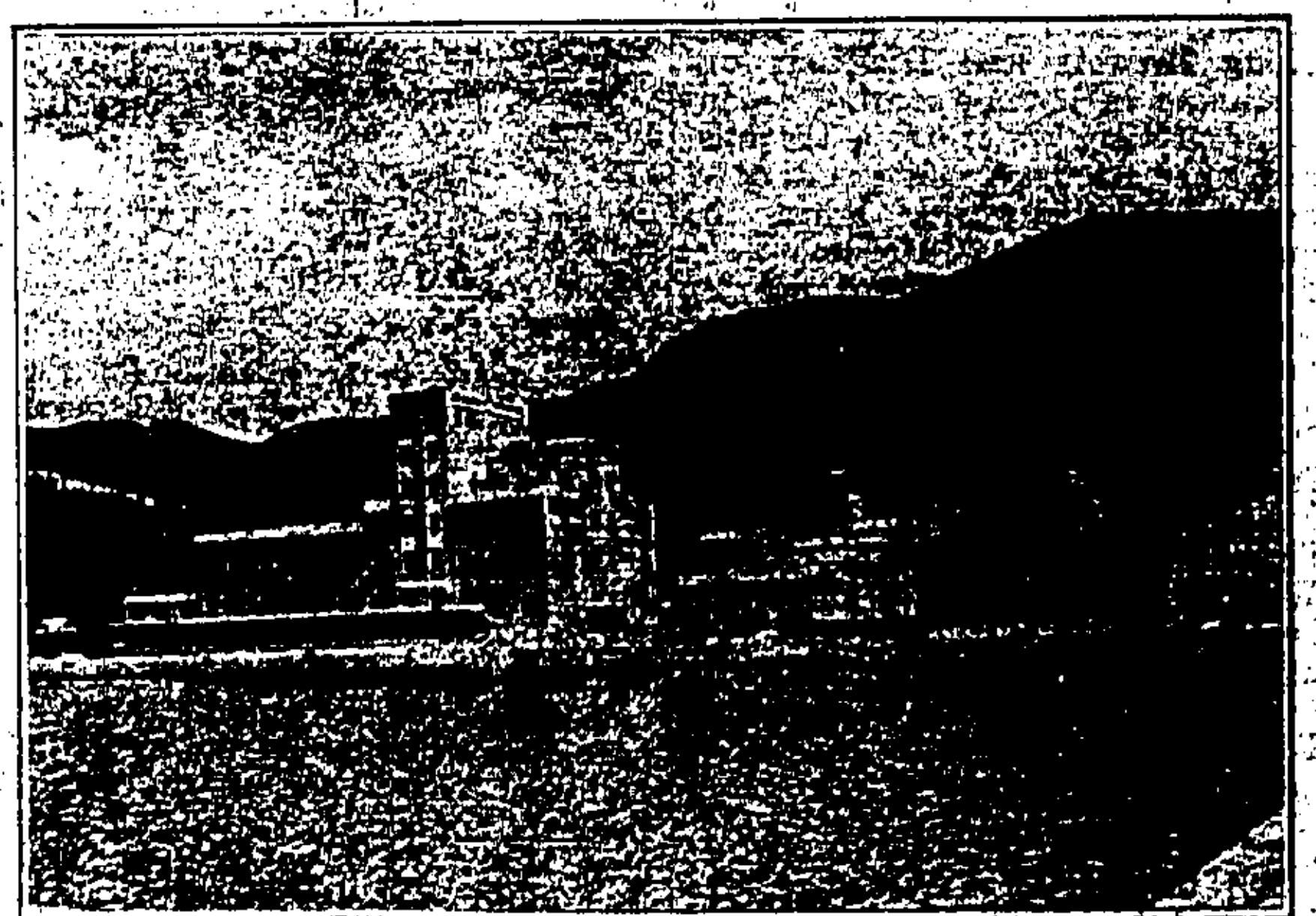
The fermenting cellar with its huge vats is kept at a temperature of 4 degrees centigrade, and here, in a dim light 6,000 gallons of wort, married now to the yeast which floats upon it like a speckled scum, is growing into beer. Ten days have to be spent in this cellar before the beer passes to the maturing room where it has to wait, in a temperature of 1 degree centigrade, for a period of 3 months before being filtered and bottled. There are twenty tanks holding two thousand gallons each in the maturing room.

Beer is not beer before it has fermented, before that it is "mash" or "wort." But there is a great deal to be done before the beer, reaches the fermenting room. It has many processes to go through and a good many journeys to make up and down the six floors of the Brewery.

Castle Peak, but will be a spot which we shall look out for as being one of the attractions of the road.

The Mash.

The first process of brewing takes place on the first floor of the building, and concerns the mash tun and the copper. The malt, which is stored and ground on the top floor, comes down a shaft to the mash tun where it is mixed with tepid water. It looks for all the world like gruel! The mash tun has a rotating drum attached to the top from which the water percolates, thus ensuring a smooth and even mixing. In fact the method of mixing malt-flour and water is, in principle, exactly like that used to mix flour and water, in cake or pastry making, the liquid being added a little at a time and smoothly mixed. When the brewmaster considers that the right amount of water has been added, one third of the mixture is let out of the bottom of the mash tun, and taken in a pipe to the copper, where it is steam heated to a temperature of 75 degrees centigrade. This



THE NEW BREWERY (H.B. BEER) AT
SHUM TSENG

On the Taiipo Road.
The story really starts in the hop gardens of Tasmania and on the sun drenched corn fields of Australia where the barley grows, but we have not time to go so far abroad to-day. If we are to see H. B. Beer being made, H. B. Beer means, of course, Hong Kong Brewery beer, we must cross the harbour, and take a car to Twelve Mile beach, along the Taiipo Road. The Brewery building, unlike so many factories, is not a blot on the landscape. Designed by Leigh and Orange, and built of ferro concrete, it rises, a well constructed mass, white and clean looking, from beside the water. When the reclamation on which it has been built is tidied up, a work which is now being attended to, and well laid out with grass and trees, the Brewery will be not only an interesting feature of the drive to

process is called "saccharification." It is then pumped back into the mash tun and mixed with the remaining two thirds of the "gruel." After a few minutes one third is again let out into the copper, is heated, and pumped back to the mash tun. After the remaining third has been to the copper and back, and the whole brew, or "mash" as it is now called, has been well mixed up again, it is filtered through the brass bottom of the mash tun and runs down through four pipes to a sort of wash basin of copper served by four taps. The brewmaster turns these taps and runs off a certain amount. If it is clear, well and good, if not it must be returned to the mash tun and filtered again. When it is clear, it is pumped into the copper, the hops added, and the mixture boiled for two hours. A (Continued on Page 12.)

Kitchen, Special Prize for Progress Eileen Patton.
Standard IV.-First Prize Margaret Blackler, Second Prize Frank Clark, Progress Edith Pratt, Handwork Gerald Bevan, Handwork Alfred Snook.
Standard III.-First Prize Pamela Floyd, Second Prize Frank Fletcher, Progress David Morris.
Standard II.-First Prize Vera Thompson, Second Prize John Baumber, Progress Alec Robinson, Handwork Basil Taylor.
Standard I (b)-Arithmetic May Pratt, Good Work Peter Wainman, Good Work Philip Holt, Progress Betty Whitfield, Progress June

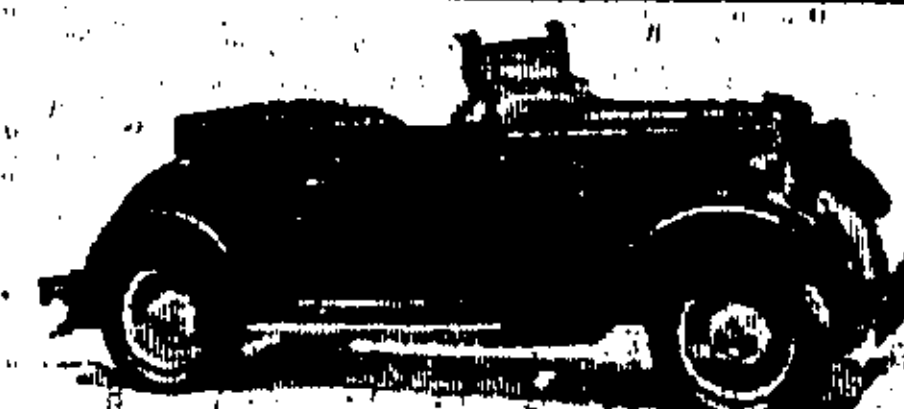


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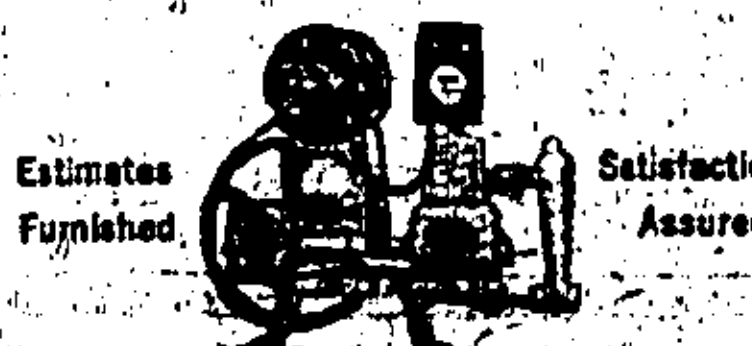
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 2. SALUT D'AMOUR...(Love's Greeting)...*Elgar*
 3. HUNGARIAN DANCE No. 6...*Brahms*
 4. SELECTION...Rose Marie...*Friedl.*

SYMPHONIC CONCERT

- Interval
1. OVERTURE...Semiramide...*Rossini*
 2. WALTZ...Española...*Waldteufel*
 3. SELECTION...The Chocolate Soldier...*Oscar Straus*

Interval

- Part III
1. PRELUDE No. 1...*Rachmaninoff*
 2. CHANSON TRISTE...*Tchaikovsky*
 3. HUNGARIAN RHAPSODY, No. 2...*Liszt*

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HONG KONG BEER IN THE MAKING

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propeller fixed to the bottom of the copper keeps it well stirred during the process of boiling.

The Wort.

After boiling comes straining and cooling. The "mash" is pumped down to the ground floor and goes into the strainer after which the clear liquid travels up to the fourth floor and goes into the wort cooler. Beer in the making when it has been strained free from grain and hop leaves is called "wort". Inside the wort cooler are a series of copper coils through which cold water circulates reducing the temperature of the "wort" to 45 degrees centigrade. An interesting feature of the wort cooler is its perforated bottom through which sterilized air is blown through the "wort" which absorbs oxygen from it. The cooling process takes about an hour, after which the "wort" goes down to the third floor to the wort refrigerator. This is just like a milk cooler. The "wort" runs in a thin film over the surface of a series of copper pipes through which chilled water is circulating. Its temperature having been reduced to 4 degrees centigrade, the wort goes down to the fermenting cellar on the ground floor and is stored in big vats. The yeast is now added, and the fermenting wort is kept at a temperature of 4 degrees centigrade for ten days. It is now beer, and passes into the great tanks in the maturing room where it has to stay for two months.

The Beer.

The final stage is the bottling. When the beer is fully matured, it is drawn off into vessels called beer receivers where it is filtered clear of any yeast which might still remain. It then goes into the bottling room where it is bottled and corked by machinery. After this the bottles are stacked on trolleys and run into the pasteurising chamber which is gradually heated to 65 degrees centigrade and the temperature is slowly reduced. The pasteurisation stops all fermentation. The bottles are then ready to be labeled and sent out. The Brewery is capable of brewing 1,000 gallons at a time and the whole process, up to fermentation, takes about ten hours.

The Water Supply.

It may perhaps surprise the uninitiated to learn that a most important part of beer is water; and the right type of water good beer can not be made however skilled the brewer, or good the malt, hop, and yeast. The Hong Kong Breweries and Distillers are fortunate in having secured a supply of spring water from the hills above the Brewery which is as good as any in the world. When the question of a local Brewery was first discussed the importance of this point was realised, and specimens of the water were sent to the Institute of Brewing Science at Prague for examination. A most favourable report on its quality was received, issued on the authority of the Ministry of Public Works. It appears that the water is almost precisely like that used at Pilsen and the brewmaster is of the opinion that the Hong Kong Brewery beer will be every bit as good as Pilsen Beer.

The Machinery.

All the Brewery machinery was installed by specially trained mechanics of Messrs. Skodavvorks who made and supplied the entire brewing plant. The ice making machinery was supplied by Messrs. York Shipley Inc. whose local agents are The Jardine Engineering Corporation. The Company has been fortunate in securing the services as chief brew master of an expert brewer who has had extensive experience in brewing in Czechoslovakia, and who was for many years technical and commercial director of one of the largest breweries in Pilsen. He holds the diploma of Engineer Brewer of the Vienna Brewery Academy and the Czechoslovakian diploma as State Inspector and Expert in Breweries. The assistant brewmaster is a graduate of the first Special Brewery and Maltery Academy of Prague, and has had many years brewing experience in Czechoslovakia, having held the position of managing brewer.

Hygienic Conditions.

The very greatest care has been taken that the beer is produced under the most hygienic conditions. Every Chinese employee has to pass through the wash room before entering the brewery and has to have a bath and get into clean clothes, the property of the Brewery, before going through to work. Most of the employees live in quarters provided by the Company and are therefore under the direct supervision of the matron at all times. A well equipped dispensary is a part of the Brewery buildings, and serves not only for the employees but for the neighbouring villages. In the whole process of brewing the beer is never touched by hand. The official opening of the Brewery will take place on August 16 and a large number of guests have been invited who will all have an opportunity of tasting H. B. Beer.

1,500 PLANES FOR CHINA

GEN. HUANG ON DEFENCE OF COUNTRY

SHANGHAI, July 24.

That for the defence of a country of such a wide area and with so many open ports, China should at least command an air force of 1,500 machines of a high standard, with the best equipment and provision for aviation, and operated by a selected personnel was the view of Gen. Huang Ping Heng, former Chief of the Aviation Department, in an interview with press representatives.

Gen. Huang, who was sent to Europe by the Government in March this year to inspect aviation enterprises, returned a few days ago and is to leave for Nanking and Kiangsi shortly to report his findings to Mr. Lin Sen, Chairman of the Government, and Gen. Chiang Kai Shek, Chairman of the Military Council. He has also drawn up plans for the expansion of China's aviation force for the Government.

Chinese Army too Large.

It is unwise to maintain an army of more than 2,000,000 strong in the country, according to Gen. Huang. China's weakness in national defence was fully exposed in the Japanese invasion, he said. If China had disbanded her surplus troops and with the expenses thus saved used for the strengthening of national defence and the air force, her position would be quite different.

The Government, he continued, is conscious of the important role the aeroplane plays in war, and both the officials and the people are co-operating in the building up of an adequate air force.

During his four months' inspection in Europe, Gen. Huang visited a number of aviation institutions in Italy, France, England and Germany. He said he was greatly impressed by the rapid progress made in aviation, and his belief that aeroplanes would play the leading rôle in the next war was strengthened.

During the World War, he said, aeroplanes were used to detect enemy's activities, while big guns were relied upon as the instrument for destruction. Aircraft was today greatly improved and capable of carrying heavy loads of bombs. They will be much more used for the purpose of destruction in the future, Gen. Huang said.

MENACE OF THE UNFIT

STERILISATION PLEA BY LADY ASKWITH

The need for sterilisation of the unfit to prevent racial degeneration was stressed by Lady Askwith in an address to the Lincoln Diocesan Conference.

When babies were born we must do the best we could for them. Nevertheless, she thought that some of the money lavished on the mentally defective would be better spent on the poor but healthy children. Each bed in an establishment for the mentally defective cost about £500 to provide, and each child in a special school costs the State from £800 to £1,000. These children were let out at 16, and too often the girl came back after the first year with a baby, and the round began again.

After citing many examples of big families of mentally defective parents, who became a permanent charge on the State, Lady Askwith continued:

"Prisons are full of such unfortunates. The governor of one of our largest prisons told me that his job would be a different thing if it were not for the subnormal persons who, poor unfortunate souls, fill the prisons."

It is very difficult for any mother to believe that a merciful God wishes such children to be born into the certain hell that awaits them. Unwanted—unfit to cope—at every possible disadvantage—born with hereditary disease of body or mind—how can they have any chance at all?

"If this Goes On..." "While the sound, healthy stock of the nation is decreasing, they propagate. If this goes on we must, as a people, degenerate."

"We must, somehow, get the law to separate the unemployed from the unemployable. For these latter, especially for those who suffer from disease of body and mind, we must go back to institutional treatment. They cannot be allowed to breed as they are doing."

"For those who are here we must do the best we can, but it must not be allowed to continue. Sterilisation is advocated by many scientists for those who suffer from hereditary and incurable disease or mental deficiency."

"I believe that, if they realised the probable misery of their offspring, most of them would voluntarily undergo it. I cannot believe that sin does not lie in allowing such children to be born where it can be prevented."

CONSPIRACY TO ROB

FIVE HAKKAS SENT TO PRISON

Five Hakkas, Chui Ping, Li Wan, Lo Sang, Wong Lo and Wong Zan were brought before Mr. Butters at Kowloon Magistrate's yesterday on a charge of having conspired to rob a house in Canton Road, Kowloon. Inspector A. M. Elston prosecuted. Outlining the case, Inspector Elston said that the defendants had been seen behaving in a suspicious manner in the neighbourhood of the house two days before they were actually arrested. They were loitering in the vicinity of Canton, Laichikok and Mongkok Roads. The suspicious of the Police were aroused and the men were kept under observation. On the 16th of July a party of District Watchmen were sent to "ambush" them and they were all arrested—except one man who successfully ran away. They were taken to the station where they were charged and in an umbrella which the first defendant was carrying a hammer was found.

All the defendants pleaded not guilty. Three of them said they had never seen each other before and all of them claimed to be newcomers to the Colony, the third defendant having been banished from the Colony in 1929.

His Worship disbelieved all of them and sentenced them as follows:—The first defendant to do 12 months' hard labour, six in the "A" Division and six in the "B" Division; the other four to do six months' hard labour each. Chui Ping, the first defendant, was dealt with more severely than the others as Inspector Elston told the court that he was the ring-leader and had organised the whole affair.

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ALLEGED FRAUD ON RESTAURANT

Canton.—Two young Cantonese are in gaol, awaiting trial on the two charges of impersonating government officials and obtaining goods under false pretences. They are said to have entered a well-known restaurant in Wing Loong Street, Canton, on the 28th inst., and after partaking of an expensive meal refused to pay. They stated that they were inspectors from the Health Department, and they accused the proprietor of the restaurant of selling unhygienic foodstuffs. The manager of the shop demanded to see the badges of the "inspectors." These were not forthcoming, and the bogus officials, realizing that the game was up, decided to make a bolt for it. A shop fook gave chase however and was the means of their being arrested and taken to the police station.

MURDER CHARGE AT CANTON

SEQUEL TO FIGHT ABOUT AN ONION

An altercation and a street fight has ended in sorry results for one of the participants, Woo Tsai Sze, a Cantonese woman, who is now awaiting trial for the murder of Lam See Mui, a street hawker. According to witnesses of the fight the accused woman met the

hawker in the street and bargained with her for some onions. During the altercation and bargaining, one of the onions fell from the purchaser's hand and is said to have rolled into a sewer. Woo Tsai Sze demanded that the onion seller replace the lost onion but her request was not complied with. Thereupon a heated battle of words began. This led to fighting and Woo is said to have delivered a heavy blow on the head of her assailant. The wounded woman fell to the

ground and bled profusely. A policeman came upon the scene and placed Woo under arrest, the injured woman being taken to the Municipal Hospital where she died shortly afterwards, and now Woo Tsai Sze has to answer a charge of murder. "Isn't it too bad that Henry is getting married?" "Why?" "Well, he was such an easy chap to borrow money from."

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26th July, 1933. [1030]

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Damaged Packages must be left in the Godown for examination by the Consignees and the Company's Surveyors, Messrs. Anderson & Ash, at 10 a.m. on the 3rd of August, 1933.

Consignees must have a Revenue Officer in attendance when damaged dutiable goods are examined by the Company's surveyors.

No Claim will be admitted after the Goods have left the Godown and all Claims must be presented within Two Weeks of the Ship's arrival here, after which date they will not be recognised.

Consignees are requested to surrender their Bills of Lading to the Underwriter for Counter-signature.

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NORDEUTSCHER LLOYD, BREMEN, Hong Kong, 28th July, 1933. [1031]

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14th Aug. ... (NDL) S.S. "ODER" ... 14th Aug. ...

15th Aug. ... (HAL) M.S. "MOENSTERLAND" ... 15th Aug. ...

28th Aug. ... (HAL) M.S. "PHIESLAND" ... 28th Aug. ...

27th Aug. ... (NDL) S.S. "COLENZ" ... 27th Aug. ...

4th Aug. ... (HAL) M.S. "KULMERLAND" ... 4th Aug. ...

9th Aug. ... (NDL) M.S. "SAALE" ... 9th Aug. ...

19th Aug. ... NDL Hongkong/South Sea Islands Service: S.S. "BREMERHAVEN" ... 19th Aug. ...

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Buyers	Sellers	Size	Nominal	Buyers	Sellers	Size	Nominal
FRIDAY, JULY 28.							
Banks							
...	...	\$1,840	H.K. Banks	...	...	\$1,835	...
...	...	2130	Do. (London)	...	...	2131	...
...	...	2164	Chartered Banks	...	...	2164	...
...	...	2244	Mercantile Bks. "A"	...	...	2244	...
...	...	2284	Do. "C"	...	...	2284	...
...	...	...	Bank of East Asia	...	...	...	...
...	...	...	N. C. & S. Banks	...	...	...	...
...	...	...	A. C. & S. Corp.	...	...	...	...
...	...	...	Ch. Fin. Corp. Ord. S.	...	...	...	...
...	...	...	Do. Prof. S.	...	...	...	...
Insurance							
...	...	...	Canton Insurance	...	...	...	...
...	...	...	Underwriters	...	...	...	...
...	...	...	Union Insurance	...	...	...	...
...	...	...	China First	...	...	...	...
...	...	...	H.K. Fire	...	...	...	...
...	...	...	International Assoc. S.	...	...	...	...
Shipping							
...	...	...	Douglases	...	...	...	...
...	...	...	Steamboats	...	...	...	...
...	...	...	Indos (pref.)	...	...	...	...
...	...	...	Do. (def.)	...	...	...	...
...	...	...	Shells	...	...	...	...
...	...	...	Waterfronts	...	...	...	...
Mining							
...	...	...	Benguet	...	...	...	...
...	...	...	Venezuela Gold Fld.	...	...	...	...
...	...	...	Kailans	...	...	...	...
...	...	...	Langkats (in gle) S.	...	...	...	...
...	...	...	Explorations S.	...	...	...	...
...	...	...	Shanghai Loans S.	...	...	...	...
...	...	...	Raubs	...	...	...	...
...	...	...	Tromch Mines	...	...	...	...
...	...	...	Benguet Explorations	...	...	...	...
...	...	...	Docks, Wharves, etc.	...	...	...	...
Godowns, etc.							
...	...	...	H.K. & K. Wharves	...	...	...	...
...	...	...	Provident (old)	...	...	...	...
...	...	...	Do. (new)	...	...	...	...
...	...	...	H.K. & W. Docks	...	...	...	...
...	...	...	S. China Motors "A"	...	...	...	...
...	...	...	Do. "B"	...	...	...	...
...	...	...	Shanghai Docks S.	...	...	...	...
...	...	...	New Engineering S.	...	...	...	...
...	...	...	Hongkong	...	...	...	...
Land, Hotels, and Buildings							
...	...	...	H.K. Hotels	...	...	...	...
...	...	...	H.K. Lands	...	...	...	...
...	...	...	Shanghai Lands	...	...	...	...
...	...	...	Metropolitan Lands	...	...	...	...
...	...	...	H.K. Realities	...	...	...	...
...	...	...	China Do.	...	...	...	...
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...	...	...	Hampshire	...	...	...	...
...	...	...	New Asia Hotel	...	...	...	...
...	...	...	Asia Estates "A" S.	...	...	...	...
...	...	...	Do. "B" S.	...	...	...	...
...	...	...	Chinese Estates	...	...	...	...
Cotton Mills							
...	...	...	Evoe	...	...	...	...
...	...	...	S'hai Cottons (old)	...	...	...	...
...	...	...	Zong Sings	...	...	...	...
...	...	...	Wing On Textiles (S.)	...	...	...	...
Public Utilities							
...	...	...	Tramways	...	...	...	...
...	...	...	Do. (old)	...	...	...	...
...	...	...	Do. (new)	...	...	...	...
...	...	...	Star Ferries	...	...	...	...
...	...	...	Yamutai Ferries	...	...	...	...
...	...	...	China Lights (old)	...	...	...	...
...	...	...	Do. (new)	...	...	...	...
...	...	...	H.K. Electric	...	...	...	...
...	...	...	Macao do.	...	...	...	...
...	...	...	Sandakan Lights	...	...	...	...
...	...	...	Telephones	...	...	...	...
...	...	...	China Buses	...	...	...	...
...	...	...	Tructions	...	...	...	...
...	...	...	Do. (pref.)	...	...	...	...
Industrials							
...	...	...	Malabon Sugars	...	...	...	...
...	...	...	Calbeck, (ord.) S.	...	...	...	...
...	...	...	Macgregors (pref.) S.	...	...	...	...
...	...	...	Canton Ice	...	...	...	...
...	...	...	Cementa (comb.)	...	...	...	...
...	...	...	Do. (old)	...	...	...	...
...	...	...	Do. (new)	...	...	...	...
...	...	...	Ropes	...	...	...	...
Miscellaneous							
...	...	...	Dairy Farms	...	...	...	...
...	...	...	Der A Wings	...	...	...	...
...	...	...	Amusements	...	...	...	...
...	...	...	Ch. Entertainment	...	...	...	...
...	...	...	Constructions (old)	...	...	...	...
...	...	...	Do. (new)	...	...	...	...
...	...	...	Lane Crawford	...	...	...	...
...	...	...	Mackintosh	...	...	...	...
...	...	...	Nanyang Tobacco	...	...	...	...
...	...	...	Sincere	...	...	...	...
...	...	...	Watsons	...	...	...	...
...	...	...	Wm. Powells	...	...	...	...
...	...	...	M. Greyhounds	...	...	...	...
...	...	...	S. C. Enterprises	...	...	...	...
...	...	...	United Theatres S.	...	...	...	...
...	...	...	B. Ind. G. Bonds	...	...	...	...
...	...	...	H.K. Govt. Bonds	...	...	...	...
...	...	...	Wallace Harper	...	...	...	...
...	...	...	H.K. Wing On	...	...	...	...
...	...	...	S'hai Do	...	...	...	...

MONEY AND MARKETS

ROOSEVELT AND THE DOLLAR

Physical Inflation Urged by Senator Thomas

CURRENCY ON NEW GOLD BASIS

WASHINGTON, July 28. While rumors spread over the country to-night that certain banking and stock interests expected an early announcement from Washington regarding additional monetary inflation, authoritative sources close to the Administration said they understood President Roosevelt would permit the dollar to fluctuate until a satisfactory level for commodity prices was reached. When commodities appeared to be stabilized on such a level, the President may then stabilize the dollar. The same sources said they believed that the dollar, if stabilized, may be based on a new gold footing.

Observers pointed out, however, that the President has as yet brought about no actual physical inflation and that the monetary trend depended on general business. The Administration was urged to-day by Senator Elbert D. Thomas of Utah, author of the amendment giving the President authority to revalue the dollar, to begin the process of physical inflation and make \$1.50 wheat a possibility.

Entirely Psychological.

The inflation that has taken place so far, Senator Thomas said, has been entirely psychological and though there has been some inflation of credit, which resulted from the authority given the Federal Reserve banks to purchase Federal securities to the amount of \$83,000,000 and the various employment and building measures. Stock and commodity prices have advanced in part due to the expectation of inflation rather than the realization of it, the Senator said.

The Thomas measure, aside from authorizing the President to revalue the dollar, empowered him to issue new United States notes to the amount of \$83,000,000. This, the author of the measure said, the President has not done and he insisted that the time had arrived for the issuance of a part of this money.

The abandonment of the gold standard and the acceptance of silver payments from foreign debtors were not considered as actual inflationary measures although they caused the dollar to slump in relation to foreign currencies. The fact is that the President has made but small use of the powers given him and many now believe he should use the major weapons, the Senator said.

To Assist Prices.

Others close to the President, however, pointed out that, when it was announced that the Administration would use its inflationary powers to assist price advances, the Administration meant that they would be used if there were more than a temporary slump in business. They declared to-day that the President does not consider the decline of prices resulting from speculation a decline in business. They said the steel mills are still running well above fifty per cent of capacity, car-loadings are improving and there is nothing to indicate a left-down in business.

Senator Thomas joined with others in predicting that the Administration would continue efforts to rehabilitate silver regardless of the outcome of the World Economic Conference. The so-called

HONG KONG STOCK MARKET

WEEKLY REPORT

Some irregularity was experienced by the market in the past week, but fluctuations were confined to within narrow limits. Banks and Unions, owing to the rise in sterling in the middle of the week, fell back from the best, but although exchange has reacted since, they have not recovered their loss.

In the general list, the volume of business was not on a large scale, but some fairly substantial lots of Trams, Star Ferries and Telephones have changed hands in the interval, the highest done in these being \$23.10, \$20.1 and \$30.30, respectively.

Closing tone steady.

Business Done During the Week.

Hong Kong Banks, \$1,850, \$1,830, \$1,835, \$1,840.
Canton Insurance, \$320.
Union Insurance, \$270, \$250.
China Underwriters, \$2.
Haubs, \$10.10, \$10.15.
Wharves, \$130, \$129.
Providents (Old), \$3.80.
Hotels, \$7.30, \$7.1, \$7.50.
Lands, \$78.
Tramways, \$23, \$22.80, \$23.10, \$23.
Star Ferries, \$28, \$26, \$26.
China Light, (old), \$13.10, \$13, \$13.20, \$13.10.
China Lights (new), \$12.45.
Electric, \$74, \$74.
Telephones, \$30, \$30.10, \$30.20, \$30.30, \$30, \$29.80, \$29.
Cements (combined), \$6.10, \$6.15.
Dairy Farms, \$28.35, \$28.
Constructions (new), \$0, \$5 cents.
Govt. Loans, 4% prem.

Changes (3.15 p.m.) Closing

Quotations.

Buyers.

Sellers.

Govt. Loans, 4% prem.

EXCHANGE

CLOSING QUOTATIONS

ON LONDON: July 28, 1933

Telegraphic Transfer... 1/4

Bank Bills, on demand... 1/4

Bank Bills, 4 months' sight... 1/4

Credits, 4 months' sight... 1/4

ON NEW YORK: 1/8

Bank Bills, on demand 53 nom

Credits, 60 days' sight, nom

ON PARIS: 52

Bank Bills, on demand 52

Credits, 4 months' sight 53 1/2

ON SHANGHAI: 1/2

On Demand... 1

ON KORE: 1/2

ON MANILA: 6 1/2

ON SINGAPORE: 1/2

ON BATAVIA: 57 1/2

ON SAIGON: 59 1/2

ON BANGKOK: 133

SOVEREIGNS, Bank Buying

Rate

BAR SILVER, per oz 18 1/2-18

nine-power silver agreement must be ratified by all the powers before it becomes binding and, in any event, would not be operative until next year.

That the Federal Government would begin impounding American surplus stocks before other nations began such a course, Senator Thomas was inclined to doubt although he is a confirmed silver advocate.—United Press.

RESTRICTION OF RUBBER GROWING

NEW CONFERENCE MAY BE NECESSARY

THE HAGUE, July 27. OBJECTIONS which arose to the Anglo-Dutch rubber-growers association's restriction scheme of this afternoon's meeting between Dr. Vander Waals, the head of the Economic Section of the Colonial Office, and a delegation from the Dutch Rubber Growers' Association, may necessitate further deliberations.

It is possible, indeed, that a complete revision of the plan may become necessary.

Such revision will doubtless take some weeks as it will be necessary to re-open negotiations between the British and Dutch interests.

At the conclusion of these discussions, both governments will give their decision after consulting the governments of the Dutch East Indies, Malaya and Ceylon.—Reuter.

SUBSIDY FOR BEET SUGAR

EXTENDED FOR A YEAR IN BRITAIN

LONDON, July 27.

THE British subsidy on sugar molasses manufactured from homegrown beet, which lapses on September 9, 1934, is to be continued for a further twelve months.

The Minister of Agriculture, making this announcement in the House of Commons, said that the subsidy on sugar would continue at the present rate of 75d. per cwt.

No subsidy would be paid on molasses while the world price of raw sugar exceeds 75d. per cwt. but a subsidy equivalent to 14d. per hundredweight of sugar would be payable for each penny by which the price of sugar was below 75d. until present maximum subsidy of 108d. per cwt. was reached.

The decision was based upon an understanding with refiners and beet sugar manufacturers jointly to submit a marketing scheme and to co-operate a development scheme for the purpose of the rationalisation of the industry.—Reuter.

MOST TRADERS SURPRISED

AT AMERICA'S COTTON PLANS

NEW YORK, July 27.

THE Government's announcement of plans to purchase cotton future has surprised most traders. The opinion is expressed that the purchases are probably connected with the liquidation of production loans and preparations by the Administration to complete the acquisition of a sufficient supply of spot cotton of futures to fulfil the option contracts in compensation for the abandonment of acreage by the farmers.

It is understood that about 2,300,000 bales will be necessary to cover these options, while it is reported that cotton secured by the agricultural adjustment administration from old crop holdings, through negotiations by the farm credit administration, totals about 1,600,000 bales.

It had been expected that the remainder required namely about 700,000 bales would be acquired from the owners of Seed Loan cotton and there is much uncertainty in trade circles as to just how the operations may be handled.—Reuter.

LONDON EXCHANGE RATES

(BRITISH WIRELESS SERVICE.)

Rugby, July 28.	
Paris	85 11/32
New York	4 1/16
Montreal	4 1/16
Brussels	24 1/2
Geneva	17 1/2
Amsterdam	8 1/2
Milan	83 11/32
Berlin	13 3/4
Copenhagen	22 1/2
Oslo	19 1/2

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New York, July 27.	
Dow Jones Averages:	High—1932 Low: July 28. July 27. Change
30 Industrials	108.37 41.22 95.00 94.03 98 up
20 Rails	56.53 13.22 47.25 48.31 1.08 up
20 Utilities	37.58 16.53 32.25 32.31 .04 down
40 Bonds	88.84 66.73 88.07 88.24 .17 up

Asia Lands, Limited, has received the following report from their New York correspondents, E. A. Pierce & Co. Steel shares ruled strong on the announcement of bids for the naval construction programme. The announcement in the middle of the session by the Treasury Department prohibiting the export of smelted gold caused selling of gold shares which spread through the list which, however, recovered at the close under the leadership of steel issues. Wheat: A bullish sentiment is again rampant, influenced by the bad Canadian crop reports and the strength in Winnipeg. Cotton: There was a fairly broad demand but the supply of contracts was limited. The sentiment has generally improved. A feature from now on will be buying by the Government up to possibly seven hundred thousand bales. Silver: Firmer, on good buying by banks and the Trade. Sellers have principally been commission houses and some foreign operators.

Business Done: 2,460,000 shares.

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SWATOW, SHANGHAI & TIENTSIN	"ANSJUN"	On 1st Aug, 6 a.m.
SWATOW, SHANGHAI & TIENTSIN	"SINKIANG"	On 1st Aug, 3 p.m.
SWATOW, SHANGHAI & TIENTSIN	"CHERPOO & TIENTSIN"	On 1st Aug, 4 p.m.
SWATOW & HONGKONG	"KWEIYANG"	On 2nd Aug, 3 p.m.
SWATOW & HONGKONG	"TAINAN"	On 2nd Aug, 5 p.m.
SWATOW & HONGKONG	"YINGHONG"	On 3rd Aug, 2 p.m.
SWATOW & HONGKONG	"KWANGTUNG"	On 4th Aug, Noon
SWATOW, SHANGHAI & TIENTSIN	"LINAN"	On 4th Aug, 5 p.m.
SWATOW, SHANGHAI & TIENTSIN	"SUNNING"	On 6th Aug, 3 p.m.
SWATOW & HONGKONG	"KIANJUN"	On 6th Aug, 4 p.m.
SWATOW, SHANGHAI & TIENTSIN	"SUIYANG"	On 8th Aug, 2 p.m.
SWATOW & HONGKONG	"TAIYUAN"	On 10th Aug, 5 p.m.
SWATOW & HONGKONG	"KINGYUAN"	On 10th Aug, 2 p.m.
SWATOW, SHANGHAI & TIENTSIN	"KINGCHOW"	On 11th Aug, 5 p.m.
SWATOW, SHANGHAI & TIENTSIN	"TEAN"	On 13th Aug, 4 p.m.
SWATOW & HONGKONG	"KWANGCHOW"	On 15th Aug, 4 p.m.
SWATOW, SHANGHAI & TIENTSIN	"HUNAN"	On 16th Aug, 4 p.m.

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TAIPING 14 Nov. 21 Nov. 24 Nov. 6 Dec.

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Santhia, B. I. (Apar), August 10.

Kat Sang, Jardine's, August 17.

Takada, B. I. (Apar), August 24.

Chefoo.

Hoihow, B. & S., August 1.

Hop Sang, Jardine's, August 2.

Hang Sang, Jardine's, August 6.

Daly.

Linan, B. & S., August 4.

Fochow.

Hai Ning, Douglas, August 1.

Hoihow, B. & S., August 1.

Hop Sang, Jardine's, August 2.

Hai Yang, Douglas, August 4.

Hang Sang, Jardine's, August 6.

Japan (Direct).

Heiyo Maru, N.Y.K., July 29.

Sui Sang, Jardine's, August 2.

Ixon, B. & S., August 3.

Yamaguchi Maru, N.Y.K., August 9.

Santhia, B. I. (Apar), August 10.

Aitsuta Maru, N.Y.K., August 18.

Japan and Shanghai.

Rhesus, B. & S., July 29.

Pres. Grant, Dollar's, August 2.

Chichibu Maru, N.Y.K., August 3.

Deucalion, B. & S., August 4.

Haruna Maru, N.Y.K., August 6.

Adrastra, B. & S., August 7.

Ridderpore, P. & O., August 7.

Tanda, E. & A. S.S., August 8.

Bhutan, P. & O., August 9.

Saila, Melchers, August 9.

Carthage, P. & O., August 10.

Chile, Manner's, August 10.

Emp. of Japan, C.P.S., August 11.

Moacali, Dodwell's, August 11.

Philoctetes, B. & S., August 13.

Pres. Coolidge, Dollar's, August 16.

Tatsuta Maru, N.Y.K., August 10.

Kat Sang, Jardine's, August 17.

Katori Maru, N.Y.K., August 19.

Shantung, Gilman, August 21.

Nakada, B. I. (Apar), August 24.

Empress of Asia, C.P.S., August 25.

Pres. Jackson, Dollar's, August 25.

Newchwang.

Linan, B. & S., August 4.

Otan.

Philoctetes, B. & S., August 13.

Bangalore, P. & O., August 19.

Shanghai (Direct).

Shan Tung, B. & S., July 30.

Jutlandia, Manner's, July 31.

Hoihow, B. & S., August 1.

Sinkiang, B. & S., August 1.

Norviken, Jardine's, August 2.

Sinking, B. & S., August 2.

Yuen Sang, Jardine's, August 2.

Sui Yang, B. & S., August 8.

Sandviken, Jardine's, August 9.

Yuen Sang, Jardine's, August 9.

Sandviken, Jardine's, August 9.

Daviken, Jardine's, August 13.

Tientsin.

Hoihow, B. & S., August 1.

Hop Sang, Jardine's, August 2.

Hang Sang, Jardine's, August 6.

Tsingtao.

Shan Tung, B. & S., July 30.

Sinkiang, B. & S., August 1.

Norviken, Jardine's, August 2.

Sinking, B. & S., August 2.

Yuen Sang, Jardine's, August 2.

Sui Yang, B. & S., August 8.

Sandviken, Jardine's, August 9.

Daviken, Jardine's, August 13.

Wei Hai Wei.

Hoihow, B. & S., August 1.

EASTWARD.

FROM HONG KONG TO N. AND SOUTH AMERICA.

Boston and New York.

Glaucus, B. & S., August 2.

Liosiebank, Bank Line, August 2.

Pres. Grant, Dollar's, August 2.

Silverteak, Furness, August 5.

Tat Sun, B. & S., August 17.

Javaneze Prince, Furness, August 19.

Baltimore.

Glaucus, B. & S., August 2.

Liosiebank, Bank Line, August 2.

Silverteak, Furness, August 5.

Javaneze Prince, Furness, August 19.

Honolulu.

Heiyo Maru, N.Y.K., July 29.

Chichibu Maru, N.Y.K., August 3.

Emp. of Japan, C.P.S., August 11.

Tatsuta Maru, N.Y.K., August 16.

Los Angeles.

Cornwall, Bank Line, July 29.

Heiyo Maru, N.Y.K., July 29.

Jutlandia, Manner's, July 31.

Pres. Grant, Dollar's, August 2.

Chichibu Maru, N.Y.K., August 3.

Tatsuta Maru, N.Y.K., August 10.

Tai Ping, Dodwell's, August 17.

Mexico.

Heiyo Maru, N.Y.K., July 29.

Panama.

Heiyo Maru, N.Y.K., July 29.

Pres. Grant, Dollar's, August 2.

Tai Ping, Dodwell's, August 17.

Philadelphia.

Glaucus, B. & S., August 2.

Portland.

Cornwall, Bank Line, July 29.

Puguet Sound.

Cornwall, Bank Line, July 29.

San Francisco.

Heiyo Maru, N.Y.K., July 29.

Jutlandia, Manner's, July 31.

Pres. Grant, Dollar's, August 2.

Chichibu Maru, N.Y.K., August 3.

Tatsuta Maru, N.Y.K., August 16.

Tai Ping, Dodwell's, August 17.

Seattle.

Jutlandia, Manner's, July 31.

Ixon, B. & S., August 3.

Pres. Cleveland, Dollar's, August 11.

South America (W.O.).

Heiyo Maru, N.Y.K., July 29.

Vancouver, B.O.

Jutlandia, Manner's, July 31.

Ixon, B. & S., August 3.

Emp. of Japan, C.P.S., August 11.

Empress of Asia, C.P.S., August 25.

Victoria, B.O.

Ixon, B. & S., August 3.

Emp. of Japan, C.P.S., August 11.

Empress of Asia, C.P.S., August 25.

SOUTHWARD.

FROM HONG KONG TO COAST PORTS, MANILA, AUSTRALIA.

Australian Ports, East.

Nellore, P. & O., August 4.

Changte, B. & S., August 22.

Kitano Maru, N.Y.K., August 26.

Bangkok.

Hollas, Thoresen's, July 30.

Kalgan, B. & S., July 30.

Kweiyang, B. & S., August 2.

Kiangsu, B. & S., August 6.

Hai Ning, Thoresen's, August 11.

Tijbadak, J.C.J. Line, August 8.

Batavia.

Tijbadak, J.C.J. Line, August 1.

Glaucus, B. & S., August 2.

Silverteak, Furness, August 5.

Javaneze Prince, Furness, August 19.

Brisbane.

Nellore, P. & O., August 4.

Changte, B. & S., August 22.

Kitano Maru, N.Y.K., August 26.

Cairns.

Changte, B. & S., August 22.

Haiphong.

Kwangtung, B. & S., August 4.

Hoihow.

An Shun, B. & S., July 31.

Kweiyang, B. & S., August 2.

Kwangtung, B. & S., August 4.

Macassar.

Silverteak, Furness, August 5.

Tijbadak, J.C.J. Line, August 8.

Javaneze Prince, Furness, August 19.

Manila.

Pei Ping, Gilman, July 31.

Glaucus, B. & S., August 2.

Emp. of Japan, C.P.S., August 4.

Nellore, P. & O., August 4.

Pres. Cleveland, A.M. Line, August 5.

